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PROSPEROUS BLOOMSBURG.

The Various Industries in Good Financial Condition.

It is the universal comment of strangers visiting Bloomsburg, "What a thriving town you have! You seem to enjoy more prosperity than any other town in the State." One of the secrets of this success is because of the varied industries. While other towns suffer, our manufactories seem to thrive and give employment to their workmen. The

BLOOMSBURG CAR COMPANY

have just shipped fifteen large sugar cane cars to Julio F. Sorzano, a Spaniard living in New York, and who owns and manages a sugar plantation at Cuba. They sent also four houses, which are built in movable sections, and have the contract for one hundred more. They expect soon to begin work on large contracts that will give employment to their men nearly all winter.

HARMAN AND HASSERT,

who manufacture mine cars and do general machine work and make castings of all descriptions, have sufficient orders to keep their large force of men in constant employment. The character of their work, with the pushing, hustling tendency of the proprietors is assurance of continued prosperity.

WM. NEAL AND SONS

have shipped several cars of pig iron from their stock on hand, and information was given us to the effect that the iron market is becoming more active, and with the prospect of still increasing.

THE BLOOMSBURG FURNITURE COMPANY

will be obliged to suspend work for a short time until they complete their large wareroom, now under roof, when they will resume operations and continue work throughout the winter. The fall sales are a little dull, but they expect to make stock work and be ready for the spring trade.

CREASY AND WELLS

have supplied the bill timber for the large addition to the Normal School, besdes the numerous buildings in course of erection in the town. In their planing mill they have been overcrowded with orders, are running on full time, with all the men they can use. At present they are making the interior work for five churches located at Columbia, Summer Hill, Berwick, Catawissa and Roaringcreek. They make a specialty of oak stair railing, work in cypress and other hard woods. The prospect is bright for continuous work throughout the winter.

THE SCHOOL FURNITURE FACTORY

have made a few suspensions of work men in the wood-working department, because they are so far in advance of the foundry and machine shop; as soon as the latter get ahead with the work it is the intention to again give employment to all the men and work will be continued on full time throughout the winter.

THE BLOOMSBURG SILK MILL

are filling orders promptly and looking forward to an early settlement of the financial situation with the jobbers when they will continue work in all the departments upon full time, and a large force of workmen. Their establishment has a reputation of doing excellent work, and is among the few that are working to-day.

THE BLOOMSBURG WOOLEN MILLS

resumed work Tuesday. On the general line of woolens the trade is a little dull but they have special grades upon which they are now working, and expect to give employment to a large force of workmen throughout the winter.

THE BLOOMRBURG CARPET WORKS

are busy on their line of Spring samples, and giving employment to a large force of workmen upon full time and a number of others on one-half time. Their trade opens bright for the month of September, a decided improvemect over the previous month. Within a short time they expect to give employment to more hands and at greater number of hours per day.

THE BLOOMSBURG WORSTED MILLS

who give attention to spinning of yarns, enjoy a good trade and give almost constant employment to their workmen, they have reduced their number of employees, but will soon increase their force.

THE BRASS TUBE WORKS

have suffered more than any other of our industries, one of their large purchasers was crowded to the wall in the financial crisis, and left the company a heavy creditor. Their works have been closed pending a sett ement, which having been made satisfactory they will soon resume operation, with the hope of continued work through the winter.

Taking everything into consideration our people can take pride in the condition of our manufactories, and rejoice at seeing our town in its onward march to prosperity, while neighboring places, bemoan the closing of their works.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

It is evident that the patrons see the marked improvement in the Bloomsburg public Schools. The fall term has opened with the greatest attendance known—several rooms in the High School building being so crowded that the Board of Directors will be compelled to furnish desks for another room and secure an additional teacher. Two causes may produce this over crowded condition. First, the systematic work that is being done in our public schools, give inspiration to the patrons; and again the free text books and supplies will no doubt add much to the attendance. Second, it is an evidence of the rapid growth of the town; for, while several rooms are crowded in the High School, every room in the Fifth street building has the maximum number, and yet when the building was remodelled a year ago, the Directors judged that the additional room would be ample provision for four or five years. It is quite evident now that steps must be taken ere another school year begins, to enlarge the Third street building. The army of children in attendance, numbering almost one thousand, must be given every advantage the district can afford, because good schools mean good citizens. No child in the town should be allowed to remain away. Any one knowing of children employed in any of the factories contrary to the Act of the Legislature, will be doing a good work for the community by giving information to any member of the Board who will gladly take the case in hand. The public schools of Bloomsburg are on the onward march, and the time will soon come, when ample provision is made, and every child at least between the ages of 6 and 14 will be in attendance.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS SENT TO THE POOR PEOPLE AT MILTON.

Forty-one years ago in the summer of 1852, Isaac Diett and his wife came to Milton. They were penniless and Mr. Diett was ill with the ague. Being Germans they were taken care of at the homes of several Milton Germans, and also received about fifty or seventy five dollars from the Borough Overseer of the Poor. When he recovered he and his wife continued their way westward and in a short time were forgotten by the majority of the Miltonians. They located at the city of St. Paul, in Minnesota, and by the dint of many years of labor managed to lay by a handsome competency. During all this time they had not forgotten the Borough of Milton and its citizens. Thirteen years ago when the cruel flames swept the town they read of the terrible calamity, but at that time were still struggling to get on themselves and could not aid in swelling the fund to relieve the fire sufferers. Several years ago Mr. Diett died and by frugality and perseverance his wife managed to add to the snug sum laid by for her old age. Not many days ago she wrote a letter in German to County Commissioner John Roney, telling him of the occurrence and two hundred dollars to be given to the poor and sick of Milton. She did not know Mr. Roney's address and took the letter and money to Rev. J. Trobee, rector of St. Agnes Catholic church of St. Paul. She is a member of his church and asked him to see that the money and letter was sent. He did not know the commissioner's address, but sent the letter written by Mrs. Diett, a letter written by himself, containing a translation of Mrs. Diett, and a draft for the two hundred dollars drawn to the order of John Roney to Father Maher. He delivered it personally to the Commissioner, who has the draft yet. He intends giving the money to the Overseer of the Poor at Milton for distribution among the needy. In her letter Mrs. Diett says that she will visit Milton in a few years. Such gratitude as hers is rare in these days and shows that she is a woman of true Christian character and who believes in the Golden Rule "to do unto others as ye would have others do unto you.'—*Sunbury Democrat.*

Julius Lindergren, piano tuner, will be in Bloomsburg the latter part of September. Orders may be left at S. F. Peacock & Co.'s store.

THE SUNDAY MOVEMENT.

[The following article has been handed us by a Bloomsburg clergyman with the request that it be published.]

Inquiries have been made as to the authors of the Sunday movement recently begun in Bloomsburg. It is right that to these questions the general public should receive a frank answer, and also know the spirit in which the work is conducted. One paper stated that it is the work of the Young Men's Christian Association. The following answer will show this to be entirely a mistake. It is the direct work of the American Sabbath Union, a national association. The Rev. Mr. Dony of Scranton is the secretary of this society for North-eastern Pennsylvania. In its interests he visited Bloomsburg and preached in four of the churches. He urged the importance of the Sabbath upon the several congregations and sought to interest them in its observance and protection. At his suggestion requests were sent out to a number of persons supposed to be interested to attend a meeting and take such action as seemed best to secure a day of rest and quiet in accordance with the constitution and laws of our state. About forty responded. They met in the hall of the Y. M. C. A. at the close of their regular prayer meeting on Sunday afternoon, July 9th. This hall was chosen as a convenient place. The Rev. Mr. Dony was present at this meeting. He stated the value of the Sabbath to the welfare of the community, its importance to the working men as a day of rest from labor giving the necessity of guarding it against the inroads of business. After several addresses it was resolved that the different churches in Bloomsburg be requested to appoint two persons to form a committee to take the matter under its care, and endeavor to secure the Sabbath against unlawful and hurtful encroachments. All the Protestant pastors in town with a single exception were present at this meeting and approved the measure. The churches complied with the request and the result is the Sabbath Protection Committee of Bloomsburg.

Now as to the spirit of the movement. It is not as has been asserted a revival of a puritanical spirit, but one of an earnest regard and sympathy for the interests of all concerned. It was felt that in the competition of business there is a danger of our losing the weekly rest day. Nothing is more important to the busy laborer than this season of rest and opportunity to enjoy his home as well as attend church services. There are several occupations which are especially in danger. The public do not realize that men engaged in business as druggists, bakers, retailers in cigars, etc., are entitled to this day of rest as well as themselves. Whilst they would regard it a hardship to be compelled to work on this day they seem to think that these others should continue to do so for their convenience. It is of course understood that the public necessity calls for the opportunity to purchase medicine and fill physician's prescriptions. But this can be done by having their stores open for certain hours without compelling them to remain in their places of business the entire day. Those engaged in these several occupations feel compelled to yield to this unreasonable demand lest others less scrupulous should step into their business, and by unfair advantage secure their trade. It is to the credit of all those hitherto so engaged in Bloomsburg that with three exceptions they have expressed a readiness and even gladness to join the movement if all would participate and they would thus be protected against an unequal competition. Previous to this movement the barbers united in refusing to surrender this day of rest, at which no doubt, many selfish patrons felt greatly aggrieved. When the ice company superceded the private delivery it also abandoned Sunday delivery and this without anyone suffering any inconvenience. When you note that often it is the clerk who suffers the privation for which the proprietor secures the benefit it is evident where the hardship lies. He can retain his position only at the cost of his Sabbath, which his employer enjoys.

If it is asked who is back of this movement the answer is the churches which appointed the committee. Its spirit is pure, gentle, and earnest, and it appeals to all the citizens of Bloomsburg to aid in the securing of a day of rest for all by words of approval and acts of encouragement so that the precious heritage which we obtained from our fathers may be transmitted to our children.

The Harrisburg State League club did not reach here on Friday, and consequently there was no game.

FRESH AIR AND COLD WATER PARTY

The fresh air and cold water association made their second annual tour the 3rd of September. A. M. Derr's team of four fine horses, drawing Wm. Gilmore's band wagon, was the conveyance used. The party consisted of A. M. Derr, Chas. Fornwald, Thomas Colgan, Paul Armend, J. W. Mastellar, Andrew Solleder, Chas. H. Reice, Lemuel Drake, W. H. Gilmore, W. B. Taylor, Theodore McIlheney, Jerome Woodring, Fred Gilmore, Wm. Millard, David Edwards, J. W. McKinney, Harry Rinker, Perry Freas, M. Ellenbogen, and John Ehrhart. Twenty more jolly souls never went out of this town. They started early in the morning, having Benton as their place of destination. Upon arriving at the thriving town of Benton they sought the popular landlord Boyd McHenry, and enjoyed one of his rich dinners. They returned in the cool of the evening, all pleased with the day's trip, and refreshed with the pure air of the rural districts.

Milton's Big Fair.

The management of the Milton Fair Association have about completed all the arrangements for the Fall meeting which occurs on the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th of October. Unquestionably it will be the best exhibition in all departments ever held by the society. The premiums have been increased, the speed programme revised and negotiations are now pending to secure some entirely new and novel attractions for each day's entertainment. The grounds are being improved, the buildings put in excellent repair, and everything will be done to assure its patrons a good time. There will be trotting, running and pacing races, bicycle races, and delightful band concerts each day. There will be excursion trains and excursion rates on the railroads. Remember the dates—October 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Farmer's Institutes.

The State Board of Agriculture has changed the method of dividing the appropriations for expenses of holding farmers' institutes among the counties by adopting as a basis the number of farms in each county, as determined by the census. Each county will be given a minimum appropriation of $75, and in addition to this will receive an additional amount proportioned to the number of farms. The average amount appropriated to single counties will be about $150; but, in accordance with the new plan, the actual amount will vary from $85 to $200, according to the number of farms in each county. This plan, it is thought, will be more satisfactory generally than the old one, which gave $100 to a majority of counties and $150 each to a few of the larger ones.

Services in Trinity Reformed Church Next Sunday.

The Services in Trinity Reformed Church next Sunday will be conducted as follows: Preaching in the morning at 10:30, and in the evening at 7:00. The Sabbath School will hold its annual Children's Day service. Rev. S. N. Callender, D. D., Secretary of the Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions of the Reformed Churches in the U. S., will be present and address the congregation morning and evening. A collection will be taken for the benefit of foreign missions. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

BIG FISH.

Dr. B. F. Gardner and his son Frank spent last Thursday and Friday at Lily Lake, and came home with seventeen large pike, the longest one being nineteen inches. This was the result of their own skill as fishermen, and the Doctor says he had ten more on his hook, but they got away. There were eighty pike caught in the lake on Friday.

THE SQUIRREL SEASON.

The season for shooting squirrels began Friday September 1st. A number of our hunters were out. W. H. Snyder and S. M. Hess returned from the day's hunt with seven large grey squirrels, and J. A. Hess succeeded in bagging three.

Mrs. Lena Gidding died at her home 111 North Main Avenue, Scranton, Pa., Saturday of last week, September 2d, aged 43 years. Funeral services were held at her late residence, Monday, September 5th. She was the mother of J. M. Gidding of the firm of Gidding & Salsburg, of this place.

D. F. Herring has been appointed postmaster at Millville.

ANOTHER ENTERPRISE FOR BLOOMSBURG.

Negotiations are about concluded with the Eastern people who will locate a Tool Manufactory in Bloomsburg. Work will be commenced on the buildings within the next ten days and pushed as rapidly as possible to completion. Employment will be given to one hundred skilled laborers. This will be a valuable addition to Bloomsburg, as all the employees will probably be men.

LABOR DAY.

Labor day was generally observed in Bloomsburg, all the factories closed for the day. The parade was under the management of the Jr. O. U. A. M. They formed at 2 o'clock on Market street, and after parading through the principal streets went to Oak Grove. There were visiting members of Fire Companies, American Mechanics, and Patriotic order Sons of America from Danville and Berwick. Over one thousand people were at the grove in the afternoon.

A disgraceful affair was participated in last Monday night in the Opera House, by two colored men and six white girls. They were having a performance of some kind on the stage, which included singing and high kicking, when they were broken in upon by a crowd of men and boys who entered through the windows from the Exchange stable roof, and broke up the performance. It is due to the manager of the Opera House to say that this motley gang entered the hall without his knowledge or consent, and were trespassers. A second like offence will will be punished to the full extent of the law.

It does not seem to have been generally known that the banks would be closed last Saturday, Labor Day. One director of a bank who was going to Chicago on Saturday forgot to draw money out the day before, and he had some diffiiculty in getting checks cashed to a sufficient amount, by individuals. Another director who resides out of town, drove in on Saturday morning, and finding his bank closed, he was alarmed, and hunted up the President to ascertain why it was closed. Many others were caught in the same way.

The season in the Opera House was opened on Wednesday by Paul Barnes and company in the play of the Chamois Hunter. It is a pathetic play, with enough of humor and sensation to catch the popular taste. Mr. Barnes has an excellent voice and sings his songs very sweetly. The company is a good one, and the manager H. T. Thompson is a very pleasant gentlemen to meet with. The play is a new one, and ought to meet with success.

On Tuesday afternoon as the steamboat Columbia was passing the Espy boatyard, the rudder became disabled and refused to respond to the wheel, and the steamer ran into a canal boat knocking a hole in the side of the latter and bursting a steam pipe on the steamer. There was a party of twenty or more on board, and there was considerable excitement for a little while, caused by escaping steam. The party walked to Espy depot and came home on the cars.

Messrs. W. L. Devaree and Silas Kitchen are busy getting their lumber yard in shape near the Philadelphia & Reading depot. They began operations the first of August, and after the close of the first month feel very much encouraged with their new enterprise. Mr. Devaree is from Newport, Perry county, where he has resided for the past eighteen years.

The following is taken from the Harrisburg *Patriot* Wednesday, Sept. 6th:

Representative Fritz, of Columbia, will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the senate in the Lycoming-Montour-Columbia-Sullivan senatorial district to succeed Grant Herring, whose term expires next year.

In another column will be found the advertisement of Dr. Bierman, homeopathic physician. Dr. Bierman has taken up his abode in Bloomsburg at the corner of Third and Jefferson streets. He makes a specialty of children's diseases.

The cellar is about completed for the three story double frame dwellings of Louis Gross on East street. They will both be fitted up with all the modern improvements and be desirable houses for rent. Thomas Gorrey has the contract for building.

BRIEF MENTION.

About People You Know.

Mr. Edward W. Walton spent last Sunday in Bloomsburg.

N. U. Funk went to Chicago last Saturday.

W. S. Moyer and family left on Monday for the World's Fair.

Miss Agnes McReynolds went to Chicago on Tuesday.

Mrs. Belles of Philadelphia is the guest of Miss Sade Sloan.

Judge Ikeler returned Wednesday evening from his trip to the World's Fair.

Miss. Lizzie Hartman of Williamsport is visiting at Mrs. H. C. Hartman's.

Montgomery Smith will go to Carlisle next Monday and enter Dickinson college.

Prothonotary G. M. Quick spent last week at Williams' Grove, Cumberland county.

Rev. I. M. Patterson and daughter, Miss Nellie, returned from their eastern trip last Saturday.

George Tustin with his sister Ruth and mother started for the World's Fair Tuesday.

W. L. White of the firm of H. V. White & Co., together with two sisters are at the World's Fair this week.

W. H. House and family have gone to the World's Fair. Their address for the next three weeks will be Riverside, Ills.

James I. Campbell of Orangeville, was among the visitors to Bloomsburg on Monday. A communication over his signature appears in this issue.

Rev. W. C. Leverett has returned from New England where he spent the past three weeks, and services in St. Paul's church will be resumed next Sunday as usual.

Rev. I. M. Patterson returned from his summer vacation. He had a delightful time during his absence, but was glad to get back to this beautiful town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rishton returned from the seashore on Tuesday. Mrs. Rishton's mother, Mrs. Pennepacker of Philadelphia, accompanied them.

Isaiah Hagenbuch went to the World's Fair Tuesday. He expects to meet his wife who has been visiting for some time in the west.

Mrs. Ida Kunkle who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Turnbach for several weeks, returned to her home in Brooklyn Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Unangst, who have been visiting their parents and friends in this place returned to New York City Monday.

Misses May and Bessie Kuhn returned Monday from a visit of two weeks among friends in Mauch Chunk and Hazleton.

Dr. Graydon has moved from Philadelphia to Bloomsburg, and occupies the residence of D. J. Waller Jr. on Market street. Dr. Graydon is an allopathic physician.

E. C. Wells was again on the sick list several days this week. At this writing he is very much improved and hopes soon to be out again.

Mrs. Jane Brown has moved into the McKinney building next to E. Jacobs & Son's bakery, where she expects to have a boarding house.

Mr. Earnest A. Millard, son of Judge Mordecai Millard, was married last week Wednesday to Miss Edna Moore at Nanticoke, the home of the bride. They are now visiting at Judge Millard's in Centre township.

Rev. E. H. Yocum, presiding elder of the M. E. church of this district, was in town Monday. He may soon locate in Bloomsburg if he can find a house in which to move. Dwelling houses are scarce in Bloomsburg.

Mrs. J. W. Scott and Miss Theodore McHenry, of Philadelphia, who have been visiting their brother Chas. H. Reice, will return home Saturday. Miss Emma Eben will visit among friends here for the next two weeks.

The following persons started for the World's Fair Tuesday: L. Gross and wife, Mrs. Lizzie Allen, J. S. Blue and wife, J. D. Shaffer and wife, Theodore Garrison, John Lewis, and John Jones. They all left on the 10:49 a. m. train via Scranton.

Mrs. Jennie Vanatta, daughter of the late T. J. Morris and sister of A. J. and G. H. Morris, died at Flanders, N. J, September 4th. Interment at Easton September 7.

ROSY-CHEEK AND CURLY-HEAD.

When I go home, this welcome waits
Each evening when the day is fled:
The pattering of little feet;
Then clinging arms, and kisses sweet
From rosy cheek and curly-head.

They come with shouts of rioting:
They're laughing so they scarce can speak!
A pair of highwaymen are they;
And I, an easy yielding prey
To curly-head and rosy-cheek.

But curly heads will sometimes ache,
And fill our souls with sudden dread;
And roses fade, while hearts stand still.
Oh, may there come no touch of ill
To rosy-cheek and curly-head!

God bless all little cheeks of rose!
Where'er they bloom, Thy sunlight shed!
Bless little heads of rippling hair!
Oh, take into Thy tender care
Each rosy-cheek and curly-head!

—Edgar W. Abbot, in Outlook.

HICK'S PATENT COOKER.

The Pathetic Story That Induced the Rector to Buy.

"I would like to call your attention to my paytent cooker," said the mild-mannered man with the soft low voice to the rector of St. Bartholomew's. "It consists, as mebbe you can see—"

"But I don't desire a cooker, and would not look at one if I did," interrupted the rector of St. Bartholomew's in as irascible manner as is permitted to his cloth.

"They come in three sizes," continued the mild-mannered man with the soft low voice—"small, mejum and large. They're made of tin, genuwine block tin, not rolled tin. I have frequently been congratulated on the quality of my tin. Said Bishop Dobson to me: 'Hicks, I congratulate you on the quality of your tin.'"

"Bishop Dobson?" queried the rector of St. Bartholomew's with languid interest. "I don't remember to have seen his name in the church calendar."

"Methody," explained the mild-mannered man. "I'm a Methody. Here's a certificate from my pastor saying I'm an individooal of moral character and use good tin in my cookers. Here's a letter from Rev. Edward Atkins—but I don't set much store by that, bein' as he is a Baptis', and no judge of tin. The principle on which my cooker is based—"

"You will have to excuse me," said the rector of St. Bartholomew's, looking hard at the heavy gold watch presented him by the parish on his last birthday, "but I have a sermon to write."

"Mebbe your lady would like to see the cooker," said the mild-mannered man. "It's made of genuwine block-tin, and Bishop Dobson himself said: 'Hicks, I congratulate you on the quality of your tin.'"

"I have no wife," said the rector, with the merest suspicion of a blush.

"Then buy a cooker and git one," said the mild-mannered man, confidentially. "With Hicks' paytent cooker as an argumint, you will git one easy. They come in three sizes—small, mejum and large. This here is the small one. Folds all up, you see, like a telescope. Mebbe you wouldn't believe it, but one of them small-sized cookers saved my life once. It was in the spring of 1853, or the fall of 1852, or the winter of 1854, I don't remember which and it don't make no difference, that Rev. Dr. James Wilyums, D. D., and I took passage for Afrieky in the brig Thomas J. Walkup, goin' as missionaries to some of the numerous cannibal tribes that keeps down the population, and consequently accounts for the depressed values of real estate in the Dark Continent. Rev. Dr. Wilyums was to teach the savages religion, but my mission was a more important one. I was to introduce Hicks' paytent cooker among 'em. You can see that even this large-sized cooker won't hold a man, to say nothin' of the mejum and small ones. Now I calculated to teach the savages to use my cookers, and when they got so attached to 'em as to never eat nothin' except what was cooked in a cooker—seein' that you couldn't cook a man in 'em—cannibalism would naturally die out. When I broached my plan to Bishop Dobson his eyes shone and he said: 'Go, Hicks, go. Your work will supplement the work of Rev. Dr. Wilyums. I heartily commend your plan, and I congratulate you on the quality of your tin.' Them was his words, and I went.

"Well, sir, the mornin' after I arrived in Africky I began to talk to the chief about my cooker, when what does he do but take me down to the leadin' grocery store of the town and show me Rev. Dr. Wilyums chained up.

" 'Can you cook him?' axed the chief.

" 'No,' said I, my breath all gone with surprise at the turn affairs had took.

" 'Well,' said the old chief, 'them's the kind of victuals we eats. We don't consume much in the way of breakfast foods, infants' foods and the like. If your cooker can't cook our style of provisions we ain't got any use for it.'

"And with that they put me in their jail, and that was the last I ever seen or heerd of Rev. Dr. James Wilyums, D. D. They would have et me at once, but the chief's daughter, Ugogina, fell in love with me, and made 'em put off the obsequies or festivities, according as you looked at it from my standpoint or the savages'. I talked nice to Ugogina, and got her to bring me my small-sized cooker, the only one the old witch doctor what kept the cookers would let her have; and with that I cooked them savages the finest kinds of victuals they ever et, and they set me free and made me royal cook, and the chief kinder smiled indulgently at the way Ugogina was makin' up to me. So you see the small-sized cooker saved my life."

"I'll buy the small size," said the rector, hastily. "I have a sermon to write."

"Now you just take my advice and git a mejum size. You can afford it. When you take that small-sized cooker round to that young lady you're after, when you ask her to marry you what'll she think? Why, she'll say to herself that in buyin' this small cooker you are layin' out not to ever have any company to meals, and if she is a girl that is fond of company, you're runnin' a risk. Wait till I tell you how the mejum-sized cooker saved my life. Well, the old witch doctor took a big dislike to me, and kept tellin' the folks that I would make a better meal cooked than I would cookin'. Ugogina wanted to marry me, and the chief was willin', but the witch doctor prophesied a lot of calamities if the marriage took place, and scared the chief. Now I didn't want to marry Ugogina, but I could see that if I did I would be saved from bein' et; but I thought I would try to save myself and get out of the marriage also. I could have run off to sea any day, but there warn't no boats. I could see ships sailin' by quite often, but there warn't no way to git off to 'em. I decided to fix the witch doctor first. I got Ugogina to wheedle the old feller to give me my mejum-sized cooker, the small-sized not bein' large enough for my purposes. Then I got a lot of African beans and some hollow reeds and some sticky clay. I set the beans a cookin' and put the reeds into a little hole I made in top of the cooker. I invited the witch doctor in, and told him this was some of my new vaporized atmospheric air, and told him to put his mouth to the reeds and suck some in. You know, if you have studied chemistry, that beans are highly charged with gas. Especially is this true of the genuine African bean. Well, sir, that old chap swallered a lot of that gas, and quicker than a wink Ugogina and I knocked him over and plastered his nose and mouth up with clay, and I'm a dummed liar if that gas didn't float that old feller right up in the air, clear out of sight. You see, he was remarkably capacious, and the gas was remarkably strong—remarkably strong. I stood there in front of the people when he was floatin' in the air, and told 'em I was a magician, and could set 'em all floatin'. They was scared; wanted to elect me chief; but I wasn't used to high political honors, and compromised with alderman and president of the school board. Well, sir, Ugogina was dyin' to marry me at once; but I staved her off for a time by sayin' I wanted to git my trousseau ready. That's how the mejum-sized cooker saved my life."

"I will buy a medium-sized one," said the rector, faintly. "It can be used by St. Margaret's ward of the guild church fairs."

"Or country fairs, either. However, I think you would like the large-sized cooker for the church fairs. But you wait till I finish my story. Now, I was engaged to a girl in the United States. If I married Ugogina what would be the consequences? Breach of promise suit for ten thousand dollars, and me with no assets but three sample cookers of block tin. What then? Default of payment, state's prison for life. 'Sides, I didn't want to marry Ugogina. What did I do? Well, sir, one day I see a ship goin by, and, stretchin' out the large-sized cooker—they are all air-tight—I jumped on it and paddled off to the ship, poundin' on the small and mejum-sized all the way to scare sharks. That's how the large-sized cooker saved my life."

"Put me down for the large size," said the rector of St. Bartholomew's, wearily.

"I knowed you would," said the mild-mannered man with the soft, low voice. "There's something affectin' in the story of how them cookers saved my life."—Wardon Allan Curtis, in Harper's Weekly.

The King of Spiders.

Ceylon is the home of the largest species of spider that has yet been made the subject of entomological investigation. This web-spinning monster lives in the most mountainous districts of that rugged island, and places his trap—not a gossamer snare of airy lightness—but a huge net of yellow silk from five to ten feet in diameter, across chasms and fissures in the rocks. The supporting guys on this gigantic net, which in all cases is almost strong enough for a hammock, are from five to twenty feet in length (as conditions and circumstances may require) made of a series of twisted webs, the whole being of the diameter of a lead pencil. As might be imagined, this gigantic silken trap is not set for mosquitoes, flies and pestiferous gnats, but for birds, gaudy moths and elegantly painted butterflies, some of the latter having a spread of wing equal to that of a robin or a blue jay. Some extra fine skeletons of small birds, lizards, snakes, etc., have been found in these webs, with every vestige of flesh picked from them. The owner and maker of these queer silk traps is a spider with a body averaging four and a half inches in width and six length, and with legs nine to twelve inches from body to terminal claw. Some are spotted, others red with greenish gold abdomen and legs.—St. Louis Republic.

The Other Dear Charmer.

"It is really a great pity," said Esmerelda Cervantes, the harpist, who is on terms of intimate friendship with the different members of the Spanish royal family, "that Princess Isabella, Eulalia's eldest sister, did not come to America instead of Eulalia. She is one of the most admirable and accomplished women I ever knew. Hers is indeed a noble character. She is a widow and devotes herself to good works and the arts. She is a thorough musician and is the author of some very fine musical compositions. It would really be difficult to fancy two people more totally unlike than are these two royal sisters. Neither do they look alike, as you can see by their photographs," and Mlle. Cervantes produced two inscribed pictures, one a very good likeness of Infanta Eulalia and the other representing a sweet, dignified, refined woman, somewhat older but much handsomer. "Princess Isabella is greatly beloved in Madrid," continued Mlle. Cervantes. "Had she come here she would have won golden opinions for herself and the Spanish people. Unlike Eulalia, she is of equable temper and is always to be relied upon. I am very fond of her and consider it not only an honor but a privilege to be numbered among her friends."—Chicago Post.

HIS PREDICAMENT.

This Young Man Was in a Peck of Trouble Through No Fault of His Own.

There is a certain young man in Chicago whose natural propensity for being agreeable has sometimes placed him in embarrassing positions. He has not quite recovered from his latest shock.

Two weeks ago he decided to accept an invitation to a certain club reception. A young lady from the far south side was to accompany him.

That evening when he called at her father's door the young lady was indisposed. A female cousin happened to be spending the evening at the house, and being an old friend the young man was ushered into the family sitting-room and introduced to the cousin, whom he had never seen. Naturally enough he didn't catch her name on presentation, and naturally enough, too, he proposed that she go with him to the reception.

Five minutes after the introduction she withdrew to get ready. When she came out prepared to keep out of the cold she seemed only an animated bundle of wraps.

It was this animated bundle which a few moment later retired to the club dressing room set aside for ladies. She came out metamorphosed beyond all hope of identification at the end of ten minutes. Introductions to three or four other ladies, had in the meantime tended to still further bewilder the young men, and he stood with a cold, clammy sweat on his thoughtful brow.

What a situation! The escort of a young lady whose name he couldn't call and whose face he couldn't remember! And there were half a hundred of faces about the rooms.

Twice in the course of the evening he thought he had found the young lady. Each time he spoke guardedly about her "sick cousin," and each time the young lady gave him a scarce look, as if she doubted his sanity.

It was not she.

The evening dragged on somehow. He thought several times of running away—somewhere — anywhere — and never being heard of more. Then a happy thought struck him. It gave him new hope of life.

People began to go home after a time. The crowd thinned and the young man watched hopefully.

Six women were left—five—four—three—

Two!

And one other young man!

Then the other young man took the arm of the tall young woman who was smiling so graciously about her, leaving a sober-faced, demure little woman buttoning her left hand glove.

And then, with a great feeling of thankfulness in his heart, the first young man went forward and without a word took the arm of a Dead Certainty!—Chicago Record.

FORMAL VISITS.

A Card Exchange Would Certainly Be a Labor-Saving Institution.

Is there any more tiresome or unsatisfactory occupation than the making of formal calls—or the "paying of formal visits," as it has been the fashion of late to call it? The woman who attempts to keep up her social duties in a large city finds nothing more irksome than this. There is no satisfaction to be obtained from a ten or fifteen minutes' conversation when the hostess feels annoyed at being interrupted in some more agreeable occupation, and the guest inwardly sighs because she was not able to leave her card, thus obtaining more time to score off other names from her long list. If the call is made on a day "at home," the caller is apt to have only a passing word with her hostess, and then must give way to new arrivals. A cynical clubman suggests that some public-spirited leader in society might confer a benefit upon her suffering sisters by instituting a card exchange that in time might rival the stock exchange for the work accomplished. At certain hours and days of the week, he says, its members might assemble for the exchanging of cards and calls, and in a short time perform the labors that otherwise might take a week to complete. "Only a short time ago I ordered a thousand cards, and now they are all gone but these," said a pretty woman of society, opening an example of the latest Paris fashion in card-cases. It might almost have been called a portfolio, for it was about six inches wide by eight inches long, and was made of dark-green leather. One-half was formed of the calling book, with its lists of addresses and dates of calls made and returned. In the opposite half were three pockets side by side, one small, one medium, and one large. The first contained the cards of monsieur, the second those of madame, and the third a package of note paper conveniently arranged so that each sheet formed its own envelope. The full length of the case, back of the small pockets, was a long pocket, to be used as a receptacle for any other list or notes; and a dainty gold pencil completed this model cardcase. And yet, it was hardly quite complete. Madame could not easily carry such a bulky article did she go on foot, so a carriage becomes a necessity, likewise an attendant footman—and then only can the conveniences of such a cardcase be fully appreciated. — N. Y. Tribune.

Kilduff's Objection.

Gazzam—Why don't you marry her, Kilduff? She's dead in love with you.

Kilduff—I know that, but you see she has too much beard for beauty and not enough for dime-museum uses.—Judge.

A Safe Rule.

Guest—So you always want pay in advance now, baggage or no baggage?

Hotel Clerk—Yes. You see, a great deal of money has been lost lately by hotels burning down.—N. Y. Weekly.

After the Trial.

"See here, doctor, your testimony wasn't at all what we wanted."

"I know that, my dear sir. But I was retained by your opponents late last night."—Truth.

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From the 10th to the 15th expect startling electric storms. During this period it will be very warm at intervals with heavy clouds and cyclones in the equatorial regions. The polar gates will also open and the cold breezes will sweep down. Frosts are very apt to result in many Northern places. About the 17th and 18th warm again with threatening storms. Autumnal blasts will follow each storm.

On the 22d our Equator cuts the sun, making day and night equal everywhere, and introducing Spring in the Southern and Autumn to the Northern Hemisphere. These great forces cannot shift to opposite ends of our rushing, restless world without causing many conflicts of atmosphere and electricity. From the 21st to the 26th we sail past the center of our Autumnal equinox. Strong polar waves with sleet and snow will follow, with very cool weather to the close of the month.

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A CRUSHED WIFE FINDS ONE RAY OF UNEXPECTED SUNSHINE.

From the Chicago Tribune.

"Before you go down town, Cyrus," said his wife, "you must not forget to leave me fifty cents. I've got to buy some things this morning."

"This abominable extravagance of yours, Belinda," replied Mr. Kneer, opening his pocket-book with visible reluctance, "is what keeps us poor. Where, I would like to know," becoming excited, "is the fifty cents I gave you last week? What have you done with it? Fifty cents in clean, cold cash, madam, gone in less than six days, and gone for nothing! What have you got to show for it? Do you think I'm made of money?" demanded Mr. Kneer, taking out a coin and slapping it down on the table. "Do you—"

"Don't say anything more, Cyrus!" exclaimed Mrs. Kneer, with tears in her eyes, and putting her hand hurriedly over the money. "I'll not spend any more of it than I am actually obliged to spend, and I thank you ever so much!"

With a mollified grunt Cyrus put his purse back in his pocket, took his hat and went down town, and in less than half an hour Mrs. Kneer, trembling with eagerness, was on the way to the great dry goods stores.

For Mr. Cyrus Kneer, by the most calamitous and unaccountable blunder of his whole life, had given her a $20 gold piece instead of a half dollar.

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Wave Power.

From the Rockford Morning Star.

A young lady in a neighboring town waved her handkerchief at a stranger and in three days they were married. After three days more she waved a flatiron at her husband's head, and three days later he waved a divorce at her.

It's All Right!

HONEST MONEY AND WISE TARIFF REVISION WILL COME.

From the Sunday Transcript, Rep.

Let the scare screamers now go into some other business. The silver purchasing clause of the Sherman bill is doomed; a sufficient tariff measure is assured. Speaker Crisp, in taking the ways and means committee from the agile and erratic Springer, gave assurance to the country that no radical or, at least, no harmful change was to be made in the tariff laws.

The tariff laws will be changed some, of course, but no industry will be halted and the duty on imports is sure to be high enough all around to bring in abundant revenue to run the government. That means a pretty stiff tariff.

Speaker Crisp has selected for the chairmanship the safest man on the Democratic side in Congress. William L. Wilson, of West Virginia, is not a free-trader in any sense. He knows the needs of the varied manufacturing interests and the tariff laws as well, if not better, than any man in Congress. He is a safer man for the country, as chairman of the ways and means, than many a one of the Republican members of the House would be.

There are good times coming, despite the panic producers, and they are not far off. The Democratic editors should now begin assuring people that no danger is, or has been, in sight to manufacturing interests. "A word in season, how good is it?"

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The Everlasting "Why."

IT IS ANSWERED BY AN OLD AND EXPERIENCED ENGINEER.

"It makes me mad," said the old engineer to a correspondent of the Car and Locomotive Builder, "why a man don't do so when his engine strikes. It all comes like a stroke of lightning. When we piled 'em up in the Whitesville cut and killed eight, year before last, I was sitting in my window that night, looking ahead as careful as anyone could. We had started on the curve and she was going as fast as the wheels could turn. forty minutes behind time, and the deuce to pay if we didn't make it up by next morning. Jimmy Hartsell was feeding 'er every minute.

"I thought I saw a glimmer of light on the bank ahead. It was the flash from the headlight around the other bend of the curve. Between the time I caught that flash and when I saw the headlight swing around the cut as big as a tub it couldn't have been a hundredth part of a second. We were nose to nose before I realized—no, I don't think I realized—but I put on the air with one yank, yelled to Jimmy, and fell out of the window. I was cut all up. The wreck was on fire and people were hollerin' underneath. I laid there feelin' of myself, expecting every minute to find a soft place, but I was all right, and three days after I went to Jimmy's funeral. After that I don't want any man to tell me what you ought to do."

Hon. George F. Baer, of Reading, president of the Reading iron company, says no general shutdown of the works is contemplated as reported. Mr. Baer is not alarmed by the proposed reduction of the tariff. He says that he sees no immediate improvement in trade, as in every department of business the capacity far exceeds the possible consumption in normal times. He added: "One thing has been demonstrated—that we must enlarge our markets or restrict our production. Just to the extent that these times restrict production, the outlook for the future improves. So soon as the financial flurry is over, trade will become normal, and there will be a healthy demand for our products. I have no doubt that in a few months all the strong, well-located manufacturing establishments will be doing a good business."

The Posibilities of Fashion.

From the Washington Star.

A number of young men and women with tennis racquets had passed the New Jersey farmer and his son. They gazed at the merry makers with deep interest. As they were disappearing the boy asked:

"Pap, what is them things they're carryin'?"

"I don't know," was the answer, "onless they're mosquito ketchers. I reckon mosquito hunts has got to be what they calls the swell thing."

GENERAL NEWS.

Attachments in contempt have been granted to the Blair county courts today against the mayor and city councils of Altoona for their failure to pay the claims of A. A. Stevens and the Asphalt block company of Philadelphia, judgment creditors. The claims amount to $10,000 and the city had taken no steps to pay these obligations.

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There is an exodus of Hungarians from Pittsburg, the result of the times. Within the last six weeks 900 Hungarians and Italians have left the Connellsville regions for their homes and since August 15, 300 Huns, Poles, and Italians have deserted the mines of the Monongahela valley. Of the 1,900 foreigners who came here during the last year 1,400 will go back as soon as they have means.

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Col. E. A. Buck, editor of the Spirit of the Times, New York, was killed by a collision of two trains on the Manhattan Beach railroad on Sunday.

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The new President of Ursimus College, Collegeville, Pa., Henry F. Spangler, will be installed on September 6.

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It looks as if the Carbon-Monroe judicial district would have three Democratic candidates for judge—John B. Storm, Allen Craig and Senator William M. Rapsher — with a straight-out Republican candidate to hurt the chances of Craig.

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Superintendent of Public Instruction Scheaffer does not approve of the policy of dividing the annual school term into two terms of three and four months each, a practice in vogue in the counties in north-western Pennsylvania. Mr. Scheaffer advises boards of directors to make provision for a continuous annual term of school of at least six months each in all the schools of their respective districts as the law expressly requires. He is of the opinion that there is no valid or justifiable excuse for dividing and sub-dividing an annual school term into periods of a few weeks each. The best results in teaching, in discipline and in study cannot be produced by divided school terms, and the laws governing the operation of the system do not warrant such a practic on the part of school boards.

To rise in the morning with a bad taste in the mouth and no appetite, indicates that the stomach needs strengthening. For this purpose, there is nothing better than an occasional dose of Ayer's Pills taken at bed time.

The Wealth of Gold Unruined.

From South Africa.

An experimental boring 2,500 feet deep was recently made in Witwatersrand gold field, with a view to testing the lay of the auriferous deposits. The result was of the most satisfactory character, and the "strike" has led to calculations of the hidden wealth of these fields, and possibly the following by Mr. Scott Alexander may be interesting as showing the rich possibilities of the future: Circumference of basin, 400 miles; diameter, 127 miles; area, 12,580 square miles or 300,710,272,000 square feet. Taking average thickness of 6 series of blanket beds at 6 feet, equal to 48 feet, equals 16,834,093,056,000 cubic feet of reef, or at 15 cubic feet to the ton, 10,521,433,160,000 tons. At 30s per ton, very low, value of gold equal to £1,578,196,224,000, or one billion five hundred and seventy-eight thousand one hundred and ninety-six millions two hundred and twenty-four thousand pounds sterling. Taking the population of Witwatersrand at 40,000 souls, this allows each £39,455,905, 12s 6d.

At the Indian Village.

From the Chicago Herald.

"I suppose," began an elderly gentlemen, addressing a long-haired yawper in front of the Indian village; "I suppose you have had some thrilling experiences in the West?"

"Oh, ya-as," drawled the long-haired man.

"Ever fight Indians?"

"Had 'em for breakfast."

"Seen a prarie fire?"

"Used to read by 'em."

"Road agents?"

"Chased 'em over every high knoll across the Mizzouri."

"Don't you find your present occupation rather tame and tiresome?"

"'Twas for a time, stranger," replied the long-haired fellow, but's been sort o' home like an' nat'ral since the World's Fair roped the manager here for the twenty-five per cent. on the receipts."

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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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The Situation.

From the Detroit Tribune.

It was far away in the Behring Sea, where the hours of the day are few and it is a long time between coaling stations.

Upon a large cake of ice a family of seals was grouped.

"Mother," said the oldest girl, "may I go out to swim?"

"Yes," replied the parent, "my darling daughter. But keep your eye peeled, and don't go beyond the sixty-mile limit of water."

Noticing the look of perplexity in the face of the little one the old lady took the child upon her knee and explained to her the latest news from Paris, and the august commission which lately sat there.

For scrofulous disorders, and mercurial diseases, the best remedy is Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Lack of employment has driven a large number of men into the United States army, which at present is nearer its maxium limit of 25,000 men than at any time since the war. Orders have been sent to the recruiting stations to restrict the number of recruits.

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Lottie Collins now dances a baby instead of "Ta-ra-ra-boom-de-ay." Many thanks for the baby.—*Boston Herald.*

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MRS. HOLLIDAY SEEMS TO BE INSANE

A Former Threat That She Would Fix Two More People and Then be Ready to Swing—The Victims Buried Without Identification.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Sep. 6.—The murders at Burlingham continues to be a mystery. Mrs. Holliday, suspected of killing the two women, has become so violent that handcuffs had to be applied. She tore her dress in strips and attempted to undress herself.

Her talk is incoherent and she is either insane or feigns insanity, as she did when in prison before. The identity of the victims remains unknown. When found their feet were tied and hands crossed and tied.

The post-mortem examination reveals eight bullets in the woman and seven in the girl, all in the region of the heart. The woman had been dead a week, but the girl not over 48 hours. The bodies have been given to Undertaker Van Twegen of Bloomingburgh, who will have the features photographed before burial.

Men who were detailed to watch the premises on Sunday night state that Mrs. Holliday was up all night washing. The terror of the neighbors was that she would fire the barn that night, but she knew she was being watched and did not leave the house.

When a wet rope was picked up she became indignant, and seizing it threw it in the road.

A bullet of 32 calibre was found under the bed, and the mark of its impress on the partition was observed. The pistol was was not found, but Mrs. Holliday said that her husband has it, and when they find him they will find the pistol.

Diligent search failed to discover his body or whereabouts. While some think he has run away, others scoff at such a rumor. He was a member of Company K 124th regiment and his comrades speak in the highest terms of him as a soldier. This Holliday woman is supposed to have been an emigrant from Ireland. She was secured by Holliday through an intelligence office and took her to his home. He fell in love with his new house keeper and they came to Middletown years ago and were married by Rev. R. H. Burch, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church. Soon thereafter she manifested a violent temper and the burning of their house with the crippled son of Holliday with it followed. Her arrest was not for that crime but for hiring a team from a liveryman at Newburgh and disposing of them. After laying in Goshen jail for some months, tearing her clothes and hair, and acting in a filthy manner, using abusive and obscene language, she was examined in proceedings in lunacy and committed to the Middletown State Hospital. Subsequently Sheriff Goodale took her to Auburn and from there she was sent to the asylum for criminals at Matteawan. She wrote Holliday that she was better and he secured her release last spring. She had behaved herself until recently, but her former statements that she would fix two others and then be ready to swing, coupled with Holliday's disappearance, lead the community to proceed to investigate the strange disappearance.

The coroner commenced an inquest yesterday afternoon on the bodies of the two women. Before adjourning Mrs. Holliday was taken to the court room where she raved and tore her clothing to shreds. Previously an attempt to photograph her was made but she prevented the photographer getting a negative of her by moving her head, arms and feet.

Crowds are gathering and threats of lynching are frequently heard.

NO STRIKE ON NEW ENGLAND.

President McLeod to Restore Old Wages as Soon as Possible.

BOSTON, Sep. 6.—The statement that another conference of the committee of employes of the New York & New England Railroad was to be held, appears to have been authorized by either the members of the committee or the officials of the road, as all matters have been fully discussed.

The reduction of 10 per cent. in salaries which went into effect September 1, was explained by President McLeod to be a necessary move on the part of the management of the road, and, it is understood, the employes looked at it in that light.

President McLeod offered the committee access to the reports of the business of the road at any time, so that they can satisfy themselves of the necessity of the reduction.

A return to the old rates will be made as soon as possible.

Fatal Collision.

CINCINNATI, Sep. 6.—Through mistaken orders Big Four express train No. 10 collided with a freight this morning near Batesville, O., killing one man, believed to be Robert Stevenson, Cincinnati laborer, and injuring several others.

William A. Pembrook Dead.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Sep. 6.—William A. Pembrook, a member of the dry goods firm of Sweetser, Pembrook & Co., of New York, was found dead in bed at his home in this city, yesterday. Death is supposed to have been caused by heart failure.

Noted Agriculturists.

BOSTON, Sep. 7.—Gov. Russell has designated Secretary William R. Sessions of the State Board of Agriculture and J. W. D. French, of this city to represent Massachusetts as members of the Agricultural Advisory Council at Chicago.

An Innocent Poster.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 6.—An investigation concerning the poster recently displayed at Ottawa asking for United States recruits, indicates that it was obtained surreptitiously and put up in Canada by some mischievous person.

Prince William Dead.

COPENHAGEN, Sep. 6.—Prince William, brother of the King of Denmark, died in this city last night.

Cholera at Hull.

LONDON, Sep. 6.—Another person died in Hull yesterday with symptoms of Asiatic cholera.

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The story of President Cleveland's illness published by the *Press* last week, seems to have been very much exaggerated. It is likely that some sort of an operation was performed on the President's jaw, but otherwise he appears to be in robust health. He has returned to Washington and is attending to his official duties as usual.

There is a general increase in the deposits at the banks all over the country, which indicates that the hoarding of money by individuals is drawing to an end. The premium paid for currency has nearly disappeared, and better times are looked for very soon. The probabilities are that there will be a boom in the fall trade.

WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4, 1893.

President Cleveland never worked harder since he became President than he has done since his return to Washington. In addition to his desk work, of itself a task for an ordinary man, he has held important conferences with every member of his cabinet upon matters pertaining to their several departments; with numerous Senators on the outlook for the passage of the silver repeal bill, and with chairman Wilson, of the House Ways and Means committee upon the new tariff bill, public hearings upon which were today begun by that committee, to be continued until the 20th inst. In short, Mr. Cleveland has, after his vacation, taken up his numerous public duties with the vigor which has always characterized his administration of public affairs. To see him and talk with him two minutes will convince any man that the talk about his health being undermined and broken is arrant nonsense. He was overworked; needed rest; and now that he has had it is all right again.

It is now acknowledged by the staunchest opponent of the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver law that the opposition to repeal is gradually melting away. A majority of the Senators will vote for repeal when a vote can be reached, and the only delay that can arise after all the Senators have been given an opportunity to express their sentiments will be by fillibustering. To what extent fillibustering will be carried is not yet apparent, but it is certain that a number of Senators who are strongly opposed to unconditional repeal—such men as Morgan, of Alabama, and Peffer, of Kansas,—will refuse to aid in fillibustering to prevent a vote, and Senator Vorhees, who is in charge of the repeal bill, has given notice of his intention to use extreme measures, if necessary, to force a vote upon the bill, as soon as it becomes apparent that the debate is being prolonged for no other purpose than to stave off a vote. It is now thought by those who favor repeal that a vote can be reached in two, or at the outside three weeks. The gamblers are usually good judges of the way the wind blows and they are offering odds that the purchasing clause of the Sherman law will be repealed before the first of October. I saw one bet of $100 to $40 made, the gambler taking the $100 end, and later offering to give four to one up to $1000, without takers. Still, it is certain that the bill will not pass the Senate without a bitter struggle, which will probably be one of the most memorable in the history of the Senate. This struggle is expected to begin with a continuous session of the Senate, when the attempt will be made to wear out the opposition, and thus force a vote.

The House is still debating the proposed new rules reported from the committee on rules last week, and until they have been adopted no bills can be introduced, except by unanimous consent, and that is seldom given. Among the most important amendments which the House has already added to the rules is that giving the committee on Coinage and the committee on Banking and Currency the same privilege that the committee on Appropriations and that on Ways and Means have had—that of reporting bills at any time. During the debate ex-Speaker Reed has continuously sought to make discord among the democrats, but up to this time he has succeeded in doing nothing except making an exhibition of himself. While the democrats have differences among themselves as to some of the rules reported, they are able to settle them, and will settle them without Reed's interference.

Senator Dolph made a speech in the Senate Saturday afternoon in favor of his bill appropriating $500,000 to carry out the provisions of the Geary anti-Chinese law that hardly made pleasing reading for the new Chinese minister, who the same day presented his credentials to Secretary Gresham.

SUSPENSIONS OF PENSIONS.

COMMISSIONER LOCHREN ISSUES AN ORDER MODIFYING THE PRACTICE OF THE OFFICE.

Pensions Go On During Inquiry.

Commissioner Lochren, of the pension bureau, has issued an order modifying the practice of the office as to suspensions of pensions. The most important change is that which directs that hereafter there will be no suspensions except in cases where the record shows on its face that the soldier was not entitled to any pension whatever. It is believed, however, that the number who will come under this class will be very small. The order reads as follows:

In the re-examination of all cases allowed under section two of the act of June 27, 1890, the practice of the bureau is hereby changed and modified as follows: First, where it appears prima facia on the face of the papers that the pensioner was not entitled to any rating, the payment of the pension shall be at once suspended and the pensioner notified that he will be dropped from the rolls after sixty days from such notice, unless he shall in the meantime file competent evidence showing his right to pension.

MUST FILE COMPETENT EVIDENCE.

Second. Where on the face of the papers it appears that the pensioner is entitled to a less rate than he is now receiving, he shall be notified that his pension will be reduced to such less rate unless within sixty days from such notice he shall file competent evidence of his right to a higher rating.

Third. Where it appears on the face of the papers that the pensioner had been allowed a pension under a prior law, and that he is not entitled under the act of June 27, 1890, to any higher rate of pension than was so allowed under such prior law, he shall be notified that his pension under the act of June 27, 1890, will be dropped and his pension under such prior law restored, unless within sixty days from such notice he shall file competent evidence that he is entitled to a higher rate than was granted by his pension under such prior law.

Fourth. Every notice shall inform the pensioner that upon his application to the commissioner he will be immediately ordered for examination by a local medical board, to enable him to obtain the necessary evidence to show his right to a pension.

Fifth. When any pensioner shall have complied with the requirements of such notice, and furnished evidence tending to support his

CLAIM TO BE CONTINUED ON THE ROLLS

the case shall at once be a "special case," and be promptly adjudicated. There will be no preliminary suspension in any case hereafter except as provided in the first sub-division of this order.

In speaking of this new order today Commissioner Lochren said: "The secretary has for some time questioned the fairness of the old practice of the pension bureau which suspends pensions during inquiry as to the right of a pensioner to the pension rate he was receiving. At his request the whole matter has been carefully considered and the present order modifying that practice, so as not to suspend in doubtful cases, has been agreed to as more equitable.

"During the progress of the examination of cases under the act of June 27, a larger number of pensioners were found liable to suspension under the old practice than had been anticipated and cases were found where persons have been suspended where disabilities have increased since the date of being pensioned and who are now entitled to remain on the rolls. In every instance, as soon as these cases were called to the attention of the bureau, the correction was promptly made; but it was feared that the suspension might work hardship by preventing the payment of pensions to those who at the present time were legally entitled to the same, though they were not at the time the pension was granted."

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TALK GETTING TIRESOME

Stewart's Exhaustive Speech in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 6.—If any particle of interest existed in the mind of any Senator in connection with the legislation of 1878 by which the silver dollar was dropped out of coinage, remaining out until the passage of the Bland-Allison act, he had an opportunity of learning from Mr. Stewart every incident bearing upon it before, since, and at the time of its enactment. Mr. Stewart's version of the old history differed from the version given by Mr. Sherman last week. Little attention was paid to Mr. Stewart's speech, and at one point of it he complained that the Senators were in the cloak rooms, and not in the chamber.

A call of the roll, however, quickly secured a quorum. At another point he declined to permit Mr. Hoar to interpose some remarks—designating them as "a lot of trash," and Mr. Aldrich met similar treatment, his interference being called "aggravating." Mr. Stewart occupied over three and a half hours delivering his speech from type-written sheets, not having finished when the Senate went into executive session, by a vote of 35 to 28.

A resolution changing the hour of meeting from noon to 11 a. m. was offered by Mr. Voorhees, and is to be called up for action to-day.

A concurrent resolution for a joint select Committee on Finance, seven Senators and seven Rrepresentatives, was introduced by Mr. Morgan (Dem., Ala.) and is also to be called up by him to-day.

The most remarkable proposition of the day was a bill introduced (by request) by Mr. Peffer for a department of education, and for an appropiation (in aluminum coins) of eight hundred million dollars.

The executive session of the Senate was the result of a desire on the part of the friends of silver to give Mr. Stewart, who had been speaking three and a half hours, a rest, so that he might go on with his speech to-day refreshed. The vote was a triumph for the silver men. After the doors were closed the nomination of John J. S. Hassler, of Forest City, S. D., to be receiver of public moneys at Enid, Okla, whose confirmation has been objected to, was favorably acted upon. Then Mr. Morgan moved that the Senate adjourn. This was antagonized by the repeal forces, who stated that they thought Mr. Stewart should continue for another hour at least. The yeas and nays were taken, showing 30 votes for adjournment and 27 against. It was another victory for those fighting for time, and when the doors opened silver men emerged from the chamber smiling over the second victory they had scored within an hour.

There was no session of the House yesterday.

LOVE AND LAW.

Congressman Breckenridge Files a Technical Demurrer in His Breach of Promise Case.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 6.—Representative William C. P. Breckinridge, of Kentucky, yesterday by his attorneys, Phil B. Thompson and Enoch Totten, of this city, filed his demurrer to the declaration of Madeline V. Pollard, filed in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, August 12, 1893, charging him with breach of promise of marriage and asking damages in the sum of $50,000. This was the last day, under the rules of the court, on which an answer could be filed to save a judgement being entered by default, and it was within 15 minutes of four o'clock, the hour of closing the edifices of the court, that the demurrer was handed to the clerk. The demurrer was exceptionally brief and avers that the declaration of the plaintiff was bad in substance, particularly as to the third count. The demurrer is based on the three following points of law which will be argued in its support;

1st, the said declaration consists of three separate counts which improperly allege three separate contracts of marriage, and allege that said three contracts to marry were subsisting at one and the same time.

2nd, not more than one contract to marry can subsist at the same time between two persons.

3rd, the third count of said declaration is bad because it alleges matters and things which cannot, in law, be considered substantive facts necessary to constitute a cause of action thereby violating rule 26 of the common law rules of the court.

Emma Goldman Case.

NEW YORK, Sep. 6.—The grand jury adjourned soon after being sworn in yesterday. The papers in the case of Emma Goldman, arrested in Philadelphia on a charge of inciting to riot, which were prepared in the District Attorney's office last week, were handed to the foreman, E. W. Bloomingdale, by the District Attorney, and the jury, it is said, will indict her on all the counts when they make their first presentment in court.

A Handsome Gift.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, Sep. 6.—The Pennsylvania World's Fair Commissioners have resolved to present their State building to the city of Chicago after the Exposition. Its location, just opposite the Art building, will make it useful for kindred purposes. It is solidly built of brick with iron girders, and is credited with being the handsomest building on the grounds next to the New York building. It cost $85,000.

Mexican Border Troubles.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 5.—No definite arrangements for the withdrawal of United States and Mexican troops and the release of Mexican customs officers and the flock of 3,000 sheep at the Havana ranch on the Rio Grande, pending the settlement of the boundary dispute through diplomatic channels, has yet been made. Matters at the ranch appear to be even more complicated than ever.

The Pope's Gift.

ROME, Sep. 6.—Father Frederick Rooker, who has left Rome for America with letters from the pope to Mgr. Satolli and Cardinal Gibbons, was commissioned also to present to the Cardinal a portrait of His Holiness. The portrait is carved in stone, and is set in a frame of gold studded with precious stones. The whole work was done by the Vatican artificers and is a masterpiece of its kind.

Learning to Love Germany.

BERLIN, Sep. 5.—The newspapers here comment upon the cordial reception given to Emperor William at Metz as proof of a change of feeling towards Germany in Alsace-Lorraine.

STATE BANK CURRENCY

A Subject of Growing Interest at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 5.—The question of repealing the tax on State banks as called for in the Chicago platform is already before the Senate in the shape of a bill introduced some days ago. Also in the Butler amendment to the Voorhees bill offered yesterday and in the shape of another amendment to Mr. Voorhees' bill, providing for the extension of the circulation of national banks. The latter bill has been effectually side tracked and there appears to be little hope of resurrecting it, so that the last named amendment will go the way of all amendments to bills that have been killed by the process of slow strangulation.

Senator Vorhees, is perhaps the most outspoken champion of the S ate banks on the floor of the Senate. What he means by a State bank is not the bank so commonly remembered and associated with ideas repugnant to good banking principles, but the chartered State banks which have a circulation based upon specie itself—gold or silver. Senator Voorhees said that when he made the statement in his speech a few days ago that no man had ever lost a dollar through a chartered State bank, he uttered a truth that had not to this day been denied and could never be. That is the sort of bank he contends for. He is not one of those who believes the security of the notes should be found in State or municipal bonds, but he holds that it should be based on the precious metals themselves. This means that there should be at all times in the vaults of the banks one third of the amount of its notes in gold and silver, an amount amply sufficient, from his point of view, to redeem any of the notes of the bank that might at any time be offered for redemption, and upon which to transact the business of the community in which the bank is located. His plan also contemplates governmental supervision and inspection, a combination which will, he believes, offer a solution to the problem now before the people and give them a system of banking as firm and reliable as any ever devised by man.

There is no gainsaying the fact that a bill with this end in view will be one of the first to be introduced when the House has adopted its rules, and Democrats in the Senate are thus early discussing the probability of its passage. In the Senate it is unlikely that the Democrats will have the assistance of the eastern Republicans as they now have in the attempt to repeal the Sherman act. Whatever may be the bill introduced, according to Mr. Voorhees, it will be carefully amended and guarded so that in no sense can it be charged against the Democratic party that it is seeking to return to the days of so-called wild-cat banking.

Pennsylvania Day.

PHILADELPHIA, Sep. 5.—Major General Snowden and Brigadier General Dechert, accompanied by members of their respective staffs, a portion of the governor's staff and the city troop, which is to act as the governor's escort, left yesterday for Chicago. Gov. Pattison, Brigadier General Gobin, the remainder of the governor's staff and several ladies, boarded the train at Harrisburg, and Brigadier General Wyley and staff joined the party at Pittsburg. All of the party will take part in the Pennsylvania Day exercises at the World's Fair on Tuesday.

Crushed by a Crowd.

PATERSON, N. J., Sep. 5.—While 200 persons made a rush to board an open car on the Paterson Central electric railway, on Ellison street, which was going to Washington Park, yesterday, Leslie Murray, nine years old, was forced in front of the crowd to the track and was crushed under the wheels of the car. His left leg was cut off and both arms broken. He is in a dying condition at the General hospital.

Wicked Progressive Euchre.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sep. 6.—Judge Moon, in his charge to the grand jury yesterday, created a sensation by declaring that progressive euchre was gambling. He said: "Not only is gambling carried on in regular gambling resorts, but people of high standing and respectability gamble. They may not put down money, but they set an example for others to follow in playing for prizes and awards."

The Vigilant's Measurements.

NEW YORK, Sep. 4.—Measurer Hyslop of the New York Yacht Club went to Coney Island on Friday afternoon at the request of Mr. C. Oliver Iselin, and the Vigilant was found to measure 86.3⅝ feet on the water line, or in other words she had just 36-100 of a foot to spare to spare to escape double time allowance, in case she was selected to meet the Valkyrie.

Riotous Hop Pickers.

CANAJOHARIE, N. Y., Sep. 3.—The country hereabouts is overrun with tramp hop pickers. Yesterday at Sprout Brook a number of them working for William L. Transue became riotous after being denied more pay and stoned the farmers and broke windows in the houses. At length a number of villagers armed themselves and drove the hop pickers from the locality.

New Lehigh Valley Officers.

PHILADELPHIA, Sep. 6.—Second Vice-President Robt. H. Sayre, of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, announced the appointments of Charles S. Lee, as general passenger agent with headquarters in Philadelphia, and J. W. Lattig as superintendent of the telegraph lines and electrical apparatus, with headquarters at South Bethlehem, Pa.

Sloop Lost.

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Sep. 5.—The Sloop Jesepaino, of this port, has been given up as lost. She sailed Aug. 21 from Woods Hull for Newport, and was probably swamped in the gale of that day. The crew were John Rich, Manuel Barnes and Charles Patterson. The last two belong here and leave widows.

Knitting Mills Resume.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., Sep. 5.—The Riverside knitting Mills at Little Falls will start up to-day. The mills have been closed several weeks. The mills paid off in currency Saturday which was furnished without premium by the National Herkimer County Bank.

Charleston Ready for Business.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sep. 2.—Charleston is ready for business again. A sufficient number of wharves have been repaired to to accommodate all ships in port, and rail, roads are running.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

Private correspondence is not generally made a matter for publication, but as the following seems to trench upon questions of public interest, I thought it might be proper to make it an exception.

I received a letter a short time ago, from a friend in a neighboring state, in which the writer after complaining of hard times and inquiring how times were with us, intimated that shooting a goodly number of men at Washington, who were there drinking whiskey and spending the people's money, might have a beneficial effect upon our financial situation. As the letter was not intended for publication, I shall withhold the name of the writer, whilst giving the substance of my reply as follows:

You speak of hard times with you and inquire how times are with us. In reply I will say that times are exceedingly hard here, and I guess the same is true throughout our entire country. Whether your plan for improving the times by shooting a lot of men at Washington is a wise one, is a question upon which good men may differ. There would no doubt be a difference of opinion as to who should be the target.

I am not certain that it is wise or prudent at any time to shoot folks even though they have done and are still doing wrong. Such people are not generally very well prepared to die. If I agreed with you that a little well directed shooting might have a beneficial effect, we might not agree as to who most deserved shooting.

From your writing I judge that you feel like shooting those who have been called together in extraordinary session to devise means for the relief of our financial difficulties. My feeling is that we should give them a chance to do something before killing them, lest in our haste we might kill our best friends. It would hardly be the fair thing to kill folks upon the suspicion that they may do something wrong in the future. We would none of us like to be thus dealt with. And the golden rule that "whatsoever you would that men should do unto you do you even so unto them," is as applicable in this case as in any other.

Now as to the amount of whiskey they are drinking at Washington at the present time, I have no certain data upon which to base an opinion. The Vice President is not running a hotel as his predecessor did, nor I have not heard that Grover Cleveland has received as at present a barrel of Scotch whiskey of Carnegie or any other millionaire as Benjamin Harrison did, so I had persuaded myself that whiskey drinking would not be carried on to such an alarming extent as formerly. But I may be mistaken, for the credit of our country, I hope that I am not mistaken.

Those men who have been there under former administrations, have perhaps formed bad habits which still cling to them. Bad habits are more easily formed than broken. They can no doubt get whiskey even though it is not kept at the White House. Evils of long standing cannot be overcome in a day even by a Democratic administration.

I suppose that it is difficult for a man to be amember of congress and at the same time to be correct in morals, as "evil communications corrupt good manners."

I have never had a burning desire to become a member of congress on account of the many temptations which beset a man in such places. And so far as I know there is no man or party who wishes to force such honors upon me, so I presume I shall be allowed to live and die in that obscurity for which by nature and education I am so eminently fitted. The above in reply to my letter.

I presume that my friend is not the only one who indulges the idea that by some kind of hokus pokus the present dominant party is to blame for all the evils which beset us, scarcely excepting the long continued drouth which has shortened the farmer's crops without reducing his taxes.

One moment's reflection ought to convince any intelligent fair-minded man, that the party now in power can in no sense of the word be held responsible for the financial difficulties, under which we now labor. Every law which in any way effects the commerce or currency of our country has been passed or approved by their opponents. And our present difficulties are the legitimate and inevitable result of their own nefarious work. Enlightened public opinion will no doubt place the blame where it belongs.

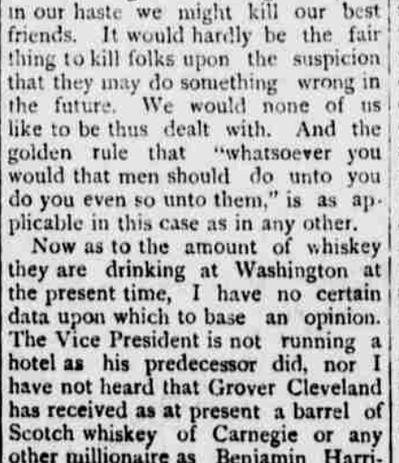
But let Democrats beware, the people will hold them to a strict accountability, for what they do or fail to do, while they have control. We shall insist on their supplying the country with a sufficient amount of currency, every dollar of which must at all times and in all places be worth one hundred cents. If they can make such dollars out of sixty cents worth of silver, that will be satisfactory. But I fail to see how free coinage can be adopted upon such a basis, and at the same time do equal and exact justice to all giving special privileges to none, which has always been regarded as a cardinal principle in Jeffersonian democracy. We shall further insist on their making a radical revision, or a clean wiping out of that abomination which maketh desolate, known as the McKinley tariff. If we must have a tariff for revenue let it be strictly for revenue and not for robbery. The time is past when the people will consent to be unjustly taxed for the benefit of millionaires.

We want no shifty compromises for political effect. B. Harrison and Co. can tell that such subterfuges sometimes work disastrously for those who try it.

Fortunately we have a President who is not afraid to veto a bad law or to approve a good one though it may appear at the time to be inpolitic to do so.

JAMES I. CAMPBELL.

In view of what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for others, is it not reasonable to believe that it will also be of benefit to you?



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Hood's Pills Cure Liver Ills. 25c.

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PROPOSALS FOR ABUTMENTS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the Commissioners' office in Bloomsburg, Pa., until Monday, September 25th, 1893 at 12 o'clock noon for the erection of the abutments and wing walls of a bridge over Mellick's creek Lightstreet Pa. Bids for mason work to be by the perch, and for the excavating to be by the yard. All stone to be of good size and quality, to be well bedded and laid in good mortar of sharp sand and lime; and all work to be approved by the commissioners. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

JESSE RITTENHOUSE,
B. F. EDGAR,
C. L. SANDS,
Commissioners.

ATTEST: C. M. TERWILLIGER, Clerk, Commissioners' office, Bloomsburg, September 5, September 7, 1893. 9-8-3t

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Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa., as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1893.

I. W. Hartman & Sons have a new announcement in this issue. Read it.

The Berwick Fair will be held October 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th.

Ellis Eves' new residence at Millville will be heated by hot water.

Owing to the death of William B. Baldy, editor and owner of the *Montour American* of Danville, that plant is for sale.

The four double brick dwelling houses of the Bloomsburg Carpet Works, located near their works, are all under roof. They are to be completed as rapidly as possible ready for occupancy.

You can get shoes at Hess' store for the next month at greatly reduced prices.

The Espy and Mifflinville base ball clubs played ball at the latter place on Saturday last. The game resulted in an overwhelming victory for Espy by the score of 23 to 7.

Buckalew Bros. used four horses in their large omnibus, the early part of the week in meeting trains in order to carry the large number of students who came to attend the Normal School.

Russet shoes for ladies and men below cost for the next month at J. A. Hess'.

Wm. Ringrose has sold his house and lot on West street to Hervey Haycock of Lightstreet, considertaion $3,800. Possession will be given at once to part of the house in which will be located dye works, for coloring all all kinds of clothing.

There will be no preaching in the Lutheran church during the month of September. It is expected that all repairs will be completed by the first of October, when services will again be resumed. Sunday School and mid-week services are held as usual.

You can get the best shoes for the least money at J. A. Hess'.

Messrs. Snyder & Magee's large three-story stone building at the corner of Fourth and Market streets is rapidly nearing completion. The exterior is nearly completed and work being rapidly pushed upon the interior. They expect it entirely completed during the next thirty days.

E. A. Rawlings is having a steam plant put into his property on Centre street, with which he will heat both his Meat Market and dwelling. He uses the Florida heater, which he gave a thorough test on Fourth street, and thinks it the best in the market.

Do not buy your fall boots and shoes until you get prtces at J. A. Hess'.

The district or criminal court of the United States, for the Western district of Pennsylvania will convene at Williamsport on the 18th of September. Hon. Joseph Buffington will preside. Only six cases will be for trial, the most important of which is the Muncy bank cases, with James M. Bowman and De La Green as defendants.

Ladies Oxford ties and house slippers at cost at J. A. Hess'.

Attention, Jurors and Witnesses.

Parties attending court will find it to their advantage to call at the Farmers' Hotel, Iron street, above Lockard's store. Rates very reasonable, both per day or by the week.

B. Stohner, Proprietor.

The catch of eels with outlines in the river and creek during the past week, has been large. They have been selling on the street at 10 cents a pound.

J. A. Hess will guarantee to give you better prices on boots and shoes than you can get elsewhere. Come and be convinced.

When the blood is pure, the bowels in good order, and the liver active, it is a pleasure to live, and these blessings can be secured by using Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills. 2t.

The Normal School began Monday with the largest attendance at the opening of any fall term. The team was kept busy hauling trunks from all the trains leading to the town. The new addition is being rapidly completed, and will be needed to accommodate the increased attendance at the School.

An exchange which we presume is posted on green corn says: "If you want toothsome, healthful green corn don't pull it from the stalk until the morning of the day you cook it. Corn that has laid over night and heated is one of the surest things to produce cholera morbus. But fresh from the garden, it is like all fresh vegetables, perfectly harmless."

One word describes t–i"perfection. We refer to De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, cures obstinate sores, burns, skin diseases and is a well known cure for piles. W. S. Rishton, Druggist.
10-14-1yr.

The Nanticoke *Sun* has been enlarged from a five column eight page paper to a six column eight page paper, and a new improved Country Campbell Power press has been added to provide for their increasing business. R. C. Rishel, a graduate of this office is asssociate editor.

Plow shoes for men, 90 cts. Plow shoes for boys 85 cts. One or two buckles at J. A. Hess'.

The eleventh annual re-union of the Sixteenth Pennsylvania Cavalry Association will be held at Huntingdon, October 13th 1893. Orders for excursion tickets can be had by applying to the Secretary T. D. Garman, Nanticoke, Pa. This is expected to be the best meeting the Association has ever had.

Clarence Gunton is making extensive repairs to his dwelling house at corner of Third and Railroad streets. A new roof is being built, the exterior and interior remodelled and all will be repainted. In short, it will be a new house, because the newly repaired part will completely absorb the old. He will have a beautiful home.

An alarm of fire was given Tuesday morning at about 2 o'clock. The fire was in the house occupied by Geo. Runyon on Iron street. The Friendship and Rescue companies were quick to respond, but upon reaching the place discovered the fire was in the chimney and only burned out the soot, doing no damage.

If you can afford to be annoyed by sick headache and constipation, don't use DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these little pills will cure them. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1y.

Mr. Frank Shuman's dwelling on East street is rapidly approaching completion. The plasterers are now busy at work and will soon have it ready for the painter's brush. Mr. Shuman expected to occupy it himself but on account of death in the family, he will not move to Bloomsburg at present and hence will rent the property.

All that honesty, experience and skill can do to produce a perfect pill, has been employed in making DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The result is a specific for sick headache, biliousness and constipation. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1y.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office and will be sent to the dead letter office September 19, 1893.

Mr. A. A. Anthen, Miss Francis Fedder, Miss Hattie Jones, Mrs. Jennetta Keller, Miss M. Kisner, Mr. Rob Peifer, Mr. Brow Rhodes, C. B. White.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised Sept. 5, 1893. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

A. B. Cathcart, P. M.

Little vegetable health producers: DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure malarious disorders and regulate the stomach and bowels, which prevents headache and dizziness. W. S Rishton, Druggist. 10-14 1y

It has been demonstrated to a painful degree recently that while a bank may occasionally be an unsafe place in which to keep money, a woolen stocking or a dark closet nearly always is. In every part of the state burglars are prowling after the widows and old men or other timid persons who have taken their money out of the banks and made a deposit bank out of an infirm coffee-pot or a bed tick. The safest place for money not in use now is in a bank where burglars fear to break in and the man or woman who doesn't follow this suggestion will pay dearly for neglect of it. The burglars are busy.

This is the time of year when everybody begins to think about cleaning up and making improvements, and new wall paper is usually one of the first things to be done. W. H. Brooke & Co. have a very large and elegant stock to select from. Call and see and get estimates. 3-31-tf.

THE MODEL SCHOOL.

I have sometimes been asked why more of the people of Bloomsburg and vicinity do not avail themselves of the advantages of the Model School connected with the Normal School. It is a common remark of the hundreds of visitors who see the work done here, "How I wish we lived near enough to send our children to your Model School!"

It is often true that people who live at a distance know more about the advantages of a great institution than those who live neighbors to it, for the reason that the most careful advertising is done away from home. Hence this letter.

Our Model School is divided into two sections. (There will probably be three before the close of another year.) Each section is under the care of a teacher whose training and experience has made her prominent in the teaching profession. Both of our teachers at present are graduates of the Teachers' Training School at Oswego, N. Y., an institution that stands among the leading schools of its kind in this country. One of them was for twelve years critic teacher in the city schools of Dayton, Ohio, and had charge of the training of teachers there. The other has had similar experience in the schools of Islip, N. Y. Two better trained and more successful primary teachers could not be found anywhere.

Every Model School pupil is taught by one or the other of these excellent teachers. The impression that they are "practiced upon" by members of the Senior class is misleading. They come under Senior instruction only two periods each day. That instruction is given only after the Senior has had careful instruction in the line of work pursued, and it is done under the direct supervision of the Model School teachers. Work for each pupil must be prepared daily by the Senior teacher, and submitted for criticism, and a record of each day's work is kept for future reference. There is no doubt whatever, that even the work of the Senior, after the first few lessons is superior to most of the instruction children get in the public schools.

The main work of instructing however, is done by the regular Model School teachers, and is the best that can be had anywhere. Pupils prepared in the Model School pass directly in the Junior class, and it is a note worthy fact that these pupils are our youngest Juniors, which is evidence that they have reached this point in their education two or three years earlier than those prepared elsewhere.

Besides the training in the common branches, when they are ready for it, and their parents desire it, Model School pupils may receive instruction in the higher branches including Latin and Greek. They also receive, free of charge, instruction in vocal music under our regular music teacher (a graduate of the New England Conservatory, ane a woman of wide and successful experience); also instruction in drawing by our regular drawing teacher (a graduate of Yale Art School.) They receive, also, free instruction in clay modelling and manual training.

All this for 25 cents per week. It could not be had for $3 per week elsewhere. Can you afford to let your children miss these opportunities which lie at your door?

The Fall term opened September 4th, 1893.

J. P. Welsh.

Call and see the men's shoes that J. A. Hess is selling for $2.00. Congress, Lace and Blucher and in all styles of toes.

If you want a box of that Splendid Soap you had better call at once, as it is nearly gone—WHAT SOAP? WHY?

Rishton's Witchhazel Skin SOAP.

It is the Purest and Best Soap ever offered and at a very low price. **10 Cts per CAKE, 25 Cts per BOX.**

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Fashionable Livery.

The well known horseman has opened a fashionable livery in connection with his boarding stable at the Exchange Hotel Stables, where fine turnouts can be obtained, single or double. He has well broken and safe saddle and driving horses for ladies, all at reasonable rates. Orders left at the Exchange Hotel will receive prompt attention. Drivers furnished when desired.

tf W. A. Hartzell, Proprietor

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

For sale by C. A. Kleim.

I Can Procure You Money

for the purchase of real estate, the erection of buildings or making of other improvements on lands or to pay off an incumberence at a very low rate of interest and you can have from 5 to 20 years time to repay loan in easy monthly installments. Loans are made on either farm or city property. Building loans are made and the amount of loan advanced as work progresses. Call on or address

J. F. Harkins,
Evans Block, Bloomsburg, Pa.
8-25-tf.

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds.—If you have never used this Great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottles free at C. A. Kleim's Drug store.

We could not improve the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best Salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy. W. S. Rishton, druggist. 10-14-1y.

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Columbian 1893 issue of postage stamps for spot cash at the following prices:

	Per 1.	Per 100
1c. or 2c. adhesive or envelope		10
3c. Green	01	75
4c. Ultramine		30
6c. Royal Purple	02½	$ 2.50
15c. Green	05	5.00
30c. Brown	12	12.00
50c. Blue	20	20.00
$1.00 Rose	50	50.00
2.00 Red	80	80.00
3.00 Green	$1.50	
4.00 Carmine	2.75	
5.00 Black	3.00	

Also all old or odd value U. S. Postage stamps, bought in any quanity, send them as you find them (don't cut out) and highest cash price will be paid for same by return mail.

Look up all old correspondence stored in garrets and chests, and send to Robert S. Swayze, Berwick, Pa.
9-1-3t.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

FALL DRESS GOODS.

We now have open our fall line of Dress Stuffs of all kinds and styles. Black Dress Silks, Black Satins, Serges, Henriettas, Armure effects, Pointelli Cloths, Storm Serges &c. A special serge all wool at 39c. yd., worth 50c. H. J. Clark & Son.

Deeds, mortgages and note books of all kinds at the Columbian office

All the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, burns, bruises, skin affections and piles. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 1yr

Window curtains and fixtures in great variety at W. H. Brooke & Co's.

New edition of Episcopal Hymnals at W. H. Brooke & Co's.

A lot of new notes of the sharpest kind have just been printed and are for sale at this office. Also common receipts, estate receipts, and collectors' receipts, neatly bound in books of 25, 50 and 100. tf.

Look Out for our announcement in next week's issue.

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I. W. Hartman & Sons.

We begin to-day, September 6th, the

SALE OF FALL DRESS GOODS,

Flannels, Wool and Cotton. We are *cutting* prices as low as good goods can be sold for *cash*. (No loss to be made up on bad bebts.) The *business* of the *country* is looking up, *our factories* are all running. We are making changes on the Dry Goods side, so as to be ready with the weather to open new Fall and Winter Coats. A new deal on Picture Cards; if you purchase $10.00 worth of goods we will take your order for a fine large Crayon Portrait at a small charge and return it to you in a short time. Call and get a card.

I. W. HARTMAN & SONS.

Cotton flannels at lowest prices, call and see them. Clark & Son.

Estimates furnished for wall paper. Contract work solicited. Competent workmen sent anywhere.
W. H. Brooke & Co.

Table Linens, Towels, Napkins and Counterpanes at Clark & Son.

Go to Mercer's Drug and Book store for Hammocks, prices from 90 cts. to $3.50.

Wall paper and window shades at lowest prices.
W. H. Brooke & Co.

Hammocks from 90 cents to $3.50 at Mercer's Drug and Book store.

It will pay you to go to Clark & Son for your Dress Goods.

Croquet sets $1.00 up to $3.50 at Mercer's Drug and Book store.

Call at Mercer's Drug and Book store for Croquet sets, prices from $1.00 to $3.50.

Are you going to paper your house? Give us a call. Get estimates and prices. W. H. Brooke & Co.

HARVEY'S LAKE.

Lake Grove Hotel, located at this popular resort, has been enlarged, remodelled and refurnished, and is now the largest hotel on the lake. All modern improvements, good fishing and boating, telephone connection, high elevation, pure air, no mosquitos. Steamboats meet all trains. Terms reasonable. For particulars address S. Gottfried, Proprietor, Harvey's Lake, Pa. 6-23-10-t.

You will find our velvet stock complete. Fancy Silks, Fancy Brades, Fancy Galoons and Jet Trimmings in full lines. H. J. Clark & Son.

SUMMARY OF THE NEWS.

Record of Important Events During the Past Week.

THURSDAY, AUG. 31.

James Gaston, a Somerville, N. J., stationer, failed yesterday. Liabilities $8,000; assets $2,500.

The Walter A. Wood Harvester Works at St. Paul will start up in a few days. Work will be provided for between 1,500 and 2,000 men.

At the Spinners' executive committee meeting at Fall River it was voted to call a special general meeting next Friday night to consider the wage question.

Kansas City business men and bankers are unanimous in their opinion that the low point in the present financial depression has been reached by Kansas City, and that the upward movement has begun.

The St. Louis Stamping Co. has resumed operations after an idleness of several weeks. The importance of the resumption will be understood when it is known that 10,000 persons are directly or indirectly affected by it.

The announcement that the Big Four Railroad company has determined to reduce the wages of all the men employed on the system has created intense feeling among all classes of trainmen in the company's service and they openly declare they will not submit to the proposed reduction.

The overdue steamer Sarnia has been spoken in lat. 58, long. 3. All are well. She is in tow of the Allan steamer Montevidean bound for London.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Connecticut Universal Peace meeting has opened at Mystic, Conn. The principal speech was made by William Evans, of Derby.

The New Jersey Flying Post Company has been incorporated with a capital of $50,000. The company will start the publication of a daily morning paper at Paterson to be called the Flying Post.

FRIDAY, SEP. 1.

An unknown laborer was killed by a train on the Long Island railroad near Springfield.

Eleven-year-old Mary Mitchell was fatally burned at Brooklyn by the ignition of a cup of varnish.

Hattie Stratton, a beautiful and accomplished young woman, has been arrested at Port Townsend for smuggling opium.

Frederick Brooks, jr., aged 16, was probably fatally injured at Mount Vernon by being thrown from a horse and kicked on the head.

Frank A. Lewis, of New York, was arrested at Cottage City, Mass., for obtaining money under false pretenses. He is a native of Paterson, N. J.

Emma F. Bachman, aged 29, wife of a Jersey Central engineer, cut her throat with a butcher knife at Morse's Mills, N. J. She left three children.

The longshoremen's strike at New York is over, the men having yielded and applied for work.

More than 60,000 miners returned to work in Wales yesterday. About 40,000 men are still out.

Two more suspended banks of Louisville, the City National and the Merchants National, have resumed business.

It required 1,798 ballots to nominate H. S. Bundy for Congress at Ironton, O.

The Monmouth Park Association has commenced a libel suit against the New York Times and the New York Tribune for $100,000 damages.

SATURDAY, SEP. 2.

There is no yellow fever in Florida. The State has a clear bill of health.

Orders have been sent from the Navy Department for the dissolution of the Behring Sea fleet.

The paper mill at Roaring Spring, Pa., employing about 800 men, boys and girls, is preparing to resume operations.

The corner stone of the Jay Gould Memorial Church at Roxbury, Delaware County, N. Y., was laid at noon by George Gould.

The Duncansville, Pa., Rolling Mill, employing between 600 and 800 men, has resumed operations after a several weeks' shut down.

Five hundred employes of the Morrison & Cass Paper Mill at Altoona, Pa., have been given employment by a partial resumption of the plant.

On account of the uncertainty of American interests in China because of the Geary law the gunboat Petrel will be sent to China without delay.

The Comptroller of the Currency to-day appointed Mr. R. E. Beckham, of Fort Worth, receiver of the El Paso National Bank of Texas, El Paso, Texas.

First Comptroller Bowler has returned from Washington from his home in Cincinnati, O. He has appointed Mr. Warwick, of Ohio, his private secretary.

The match race for $10,000 a side over the Futurity course between J. R. Keene's Domino and Richard Croker's Dobbins resulted in a dead heat.

MONDAY, SEP. 4.

There was a severe frost on the highlands at Woodsville, N. H., on Saturday night. Vegetation was damaged considerably, but a heavy fog saved the river crops.

The Rogers Locomotive Company at Paterson, N. J., have issued an order reducing the wages of its 1200 employees from five to twenty-five per cent. to go into effect to-day.

Trieste newspapers of Saturday last assert that a Miss Leal, of Vinna, a young Scotch woman, who has recently been playing at the Monte Carlo gaming tables, had remarkable luck for several days, which culminated in the breaking of the bank. She is said to have won £60,000 in one hour.

Mgr. Satolli, the Apostolic Delegate to the United States, will leave Washington to-day for a Western trip including Chicago, Milwaukee, and Green Bay, Wis.

The committee of seven having in charge the reorganization of the Madison Square Bank, New York, have asked the receivers for full information regarding the securities in the bank vaults in order to establish a proper basis for reorganization.

The duties received at the Custom House, New York, at this port during the month of August were $5,000,000 less than those received in the same month of 1892. Nearly 50 per cent. of the duties daily paid into the cashier's office is in gold coin.

TUESDAY, SEP. 5.

Herr Paasch, the notorious anti-Semite, has been pronounced a dangerous lunatic and has been sent to the asylum at Dalldorf, Brussels.

Ralph De Forest, of Boston, the cook on the dining car which went down in the Chester wreck, died yesterday, making the list of the dead 17.

George Roberts, of Tacoma, Wash., the inventor of a hop sprayer in general use in the Washington hop fields, has now invented a machine for picking hops. The vines are shoved into a cylinder like a threshing machine and the leaves are separated from the hops by a breeze generated from the rapid revolution of the cylinder.

From one of ex-Senator John J. Ingalls' closest friends comes the statement that he will be a candidate for the United States Senate in 1896, and that as a stepping stone to that place he proposes to become a candidate for Governor of Kansas at the next election.

A physician reported to the New York Board of Health last night that there were several cases of small pox in the tenement at 186 Madison street. An inspector who went there found five persons sick with the disease. They were sent to Riverside Hospital.

A dispatch from Kissingen, Berlin, says that Prince Bismarck's rheumatism is growing worse.

New York was in her glory at the Chicago World's Fair yesterday. State officials were in attendence and many noted citizens. Speeches were made by Governor Flower and Chauncey M. Depew. There was a reception in the evening.

Private letters just received from the Congo State report that Kerckhoven's expedition was completely destroyed after their leader's death. Twenty white men lost their lives.

The cholera in Hungary is decreasing rapidly. During the last 48 hours there have been 81 new cases and 45 deaths.

Justice Levy Missing.

PASSAIC, N. J., Sep. 4.—Justice of the Peace William Levy was arrested recently on charges of forgery and of perjury preferred by George P. Rust, of Passaic. Moses Simon and Brewer Philip Katz were his bondsmen. Levy has not been seen or heard of since he was released on bail and Simon thinks he has disappeared for good. Some of his notes endorsed by Simon are falling due and will have to be paid shortly and a second mortgage for $4,500 on some tenement property in First street given to protect the bondsmen is said to have turned out to be worthless.

Grand Army Encampment.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sep. 5.—The attendance at the Grand Army encampment is fully up to expectations, and the programme is being satisfactorily carried out. The woods are full of available candidates for the office of Commander-in-Chief, the list comprising Gen. S. N. Hurst, Ohio; Capt. J. G. B. Adams, Massachusetts; Gen. E. Burd Grubb, New Jersey; Edgar Allen, Virginia; Charles P. Lincoln, Washington; James A. Sexton, Chicago, and others.

Bold Robbers.

NEW YORK, Sep. 4.—A special to the World from Managua, Nicaragua says: A party of disbanded troops yesterday captured the convoy of government funds destined to pay the regular troops. The escort pluckily maintained the unequal fight and a fierce battle resulted. The guerrillas killed all of the members of the escort and seized the money, amounting to $180,000. The robbers then fled to Honduras.

New Reading Plan.

PHILADELPHIA, Sep. 4.—The President of the Reading railroad gives notice that an arrangement has been made with Messrs. & Co. and Brown Bro's & Co., to purchase the Reading 7's of 1893 from the holders at par on their maturity, October 1, 1893, and to extend them as gold bonds for 40 years at 5 per cent. interest, also payable in gold and free of all taxes.

Death in a Mine.

EVANSILLE, Ind., Sep. 6.—At Shelburne, on the Evansville & Terre Haute road yesterday, a force of men went down into a coal mine to resume work after weeks of idleness. There was a gas explosion and the mine was wrecked. Eleven men have been taken out badly injured and mutilated. Four will die and probably more.

Waltham Mills Start.

BOSTON, Sep. 6.—The Boston Manufacturing Company's mills at Waltham started yesterday after a suspension of work for a month. The company intends to keep the operatives at work every other week until the business outlook is brighter. The company employs 2,600 hands.

Costa Rica Quarantines.

NEW YORK, Sep. 4.—The Herald correspondent in Costa Rica telegraphs that country has established several quarantines—one against New York on account of cholera, another against Honduras and Nicaragua for small pox and a third against Bocas del Toro for yellow fever.

Fears for the Valkyrie.

NEW YORK, Sep. 5.—While Lord Dunraven's yacht Valkyrie, which sailed for America on the morning of Aug. 23, is not overdue, there is a little anxiety among yachtsmen concerning the racer, as no ocean steamships have sighted her.

Knott for Hawaii.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 4.—The President and Secretary Gresham are giving attention to the election of a new Minister to Hawaii to succeed Mr. Blount and an appointment to the office of Minister may be expected in the near future.

Cleveland at the Theatre.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 4.—President Cleveland and Secretary Lamont occupied a box at the National Theatre Saturday night, and apparently enjoyed the performance of Frohman's comedians in the new play, "The Other Man."

Buffalo Bank Resumes.

BUFFALO, Sep. 1.—The Queen City Bank, which suspended several weeks ago, resumed business yesterday. There was no rush to withdraw deposits and the bank is receiving more than it pays out.

Fractional Silver.

PARIS, Aug. 30.—The French government has agreed to call a conference of the members of the Latin Union in Paris, to decide the question of the nationalization of fractional silver currency.

A Welsh Choir for the Fair.

NEW YORK, Sep. 4.—A Welsh choir of forty voices, in charge of Mrs. Novello Davies, director, with an accompanist, arrived on the steamship Paris, en route to the World's Fair.

Syracuse, Oct. 6.

NEW YORK, Sep. 1.—The Republican State committee at their meeting yesterday decided to hold their convention at Syracuse, N. Y., October 6.

Quincy Still In.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 1.—Assistant Secretary Josiah Quincy is expected to return to Washington on Tuesday next to resume his duties in the State Department.

Saved by a Narrow Margin.

From the Chicago Record.

"Been to lodge, have you, Absalom?" said Mrs. Rambo, in a metallic tone of voice.

"Yes m' dear," replied Absalom.

"What time does the lodge usually let out?"

"About—um—about 11 o'clock."

"And what time do you think it is now?"

"Er—it's about 12, isn't it?"

"It is half past 2. Does it take three hours and a half to come home?"

"Yes, m' dear. Lodge bodies move slowly."

And Mrs. Rambo went gaspingly upstairs to bed.

I am an old man and have been a constant sufferer with catarrh for the last ten years. I am entirely cured by the use of Ely's Cream Balm. It is so strange that so simple a remedy will cure such a stubborn disease.—Henry Billings, U. S. Pension Att'y, Washington, D. C.

I suffered for more than ten years with that dreadful disease, catarrh, and used every available medicine that was recommended to me. I cannot thank you enough for the relief which Ely's Cream Balm has afforded me.—Emanuel Meyers, Winfield, L. I., N. Y.

Doctors Differing.

From the Boston Transcrip.

Butcher. "Didn't like that ham? Why, it was some that I cured myself."

Customer. "Call that ham cured? Why, man, it wasn't even convalescent."

Wanted No Big Words.

From the New York Herald.

The following little story is told of a citizen of Port Chester, N. Y., whose education was somewhat superior to his wife's, a fact regarding which she was very sensitive.

On one occasion the man drove over to White Plains to inquire regarding the health of his sister-in-law, who was dangerously ill. Upon returning he was met by his wife, who asked of her sister's condition.

"She is convalescent," replied the man.

Immediately and in the most emphatic manner the woman cried out: "I want none of your soothing words; I want facts. You tell me this minute, Is my sister dead or alive?"

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Womb Troubles.

The whole story, however, is told in an illustrated book entitled "Guide to Health," by Mrs. Pinkham. It contains over 90 pages of most important information, which every woman, married or single, should know about herself. Send 2 two-cent stamps for it. For

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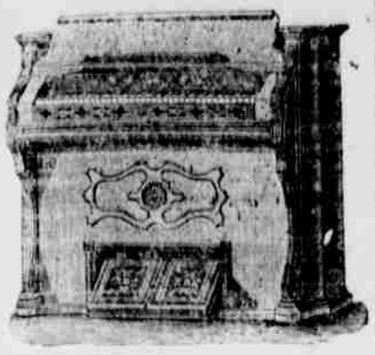

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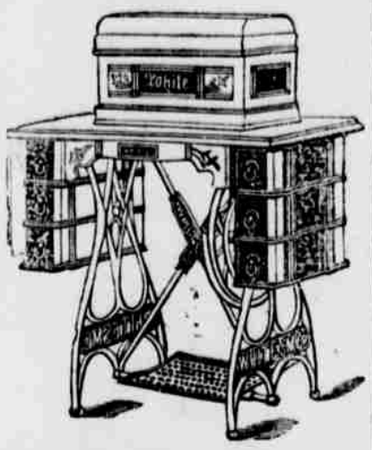

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A Narrow Escape.

Cobwigger—I have just been having a terrible time for the last month. My daughter has been importuning me to get her a pair of diamond bracelets, but I got the best of her—told her that I had noticed that the prettiest girls were not wearing bracelets lately.

Bronson—By George! My daughter has been asking me for a necklace. I believe I'll try that scheme on her. Thanks for the suggestion, old boy.

Cobwigger (the next day)—Hello, Bronson, you look blue. Did you try that scheme I spoke about? How did it work?

Bronson—All right—with the girl; but when my wife heard about it she arraigned me for looking at pretty girls. Just escaped.—Vogue.

How It Is Done.

When a lady is sitting to a Parisian photographer for a portrait, the operator does not, in a perfunctory manner, coldly request her to "Look pleasant now, if you please!" He says to her, in the most natural and graceful manner in the world: "It is quite unnecessary to ask madame to look pleasant—she could not look otherwise!" The lady of course acknowledges the compliment with her most gracious and high-bred smile. "Click!" goes the camera, and the picture is obtained, revealing the sitter to the greatest advantage.—Demorest's Magazine.

Dental Incident.

Mrs. Uppercrust had occasion to require the services of Dr. Molaryanker, a Madison avenue dentist. She did not like the way he examined the defective tooth, so she said, indignantly:

"I don't like you to put your fingers in my mouth. That's not nice."

"That's so, but I wash my hands afterwards," replied Dr. Molaryanker.—Texas Siftings.

Time Works Wonders.

Dickey (aged eighteen)—Will you marry me, Pen?

Penelope (aged twenty)—Marry a man who is younger than I am? Dear me, no! Wait until you are twenty-five, Dickey. Then you'll be two years older than I am, and it will be perfectly proper.—Puck.

Was Telling the Truth.

"Do you call this a piece of watermelon?" said the indignant customer sarcastically to the waiter, pointing to a very small slab of red on his plate.

"Certainly, you wouldn't have me call it a whole watermelon, would you, sir?" said the waiter, blandly.—Chicago Record.

An Incipient Policeman.

Urchin—Are these clingstones?

Proprietor of Fruit Stand—No. They're free—

Urchin (grabbing the largest one)—Thanks!

(Disappears round the corner).—Chicago Tribune.

A Discouraging Proviso.

Gus De Smith—Well, Tom, I hear you eloped with a rich girl. Was it a success?

Tom Fewscads—Not altogether. Her father telegraphed that he will forgive us if we don't come back.—Texas Siftings.

Filial Respect.

The Mother—Tenth in your class. Why, I always used to be first in mine.

The Daughter—But, mother, my schoolmates are not nearly so stupid as yours.—Truth.

A MATTER OF NEWS.

Ten Broke (with emphasis)—Miss Peachblow, will you marry me?

Penelope (sarcastically)—Dear me! Is my rich aunt dead at last?—Truth.

Too Observing.

Wee Maiden—I think that photographer is real mean. He said he'd do something so my freckles wouldn't show in the picture.

Mother—Well, I declare! Didn't you want him to take the freckles out?

Wee Maiden—Yes'm, but I didn't want him to know he was doing it.—Good News.

Social.

Black—I wish you would join our lodge, Brown, for the sociability of the thing, if for nothing more.

Brown—Carter, one of your brethren, took my name in last week. Hasn't he said anything to you about it?

Black—No; we don't speak to each other.—Puck.

Supposing.

She—Supposing you were going to propose to a girl, what would you say?

He—Oh, something simple and direct, like "Will you be my wife?" Supposing you were the girl, what would your answer be?

She—"Yes."—Brooklyn Life.

Honors Easy.

German Student—I know dese scars my face on look not pretty, but I proud of them am. I got them in duels.

American Student—Huh! Wait till you see some of our football champions.—N. Y. Weekly.

True Economy.

Friend—Why do you wear those fearfully old-fashioned collars?

Winkers (a man of affairs)—Because, when the washerwoman sends them to anybody else they send them back.—Demorest's Magazine.

How Those Girls Love One Another.

Miss Youngbred—George says he proposed to some one the other night.

Miss Oldboy—Well, I wasn't the one.

Miss Youngbred—I thought not. He said he got jilted.—Truth.

Something NEW Under the SUN.

Soloman's Idea was that there was nothing new under the Sun. That is true as far as articles and ideas are concerned. But as to prices—never before were such prices offered as we are making on

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In short we were giving special discounts, during August in order to reduce our stock and we propose during September to continue the Special Sale. If you are in need of anything in our line it will pay you to come at once. We carry a full line of Stationery and School Supplies. We also give our Personal attention to and make a specialty of fine Watch, Clock, and Jewelry repairing.

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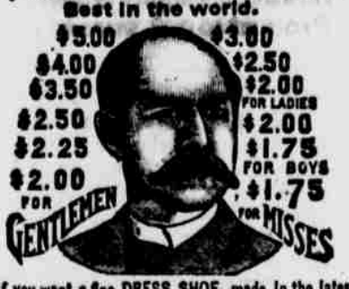

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Trains leave Bloomsburg as follows: Sundays excepted.)

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading Pottsville, Tamaqua, etc., 6.10, 11.15 a. m.

For Williamsport, 7.15 a. m., 3.32 p. m Sunday, 7.58 a. m., 4.28 p. m.

For Danville and Milton, 7.15 a. m., 3.32, 11.10 p. m. Sunday, 7.57 a. m., 4.27 p. m.

For Catawissa 6.10, 7.45, 11.13 a. m., 12.15, 5.00, 6.30, 11.10 p. m Sunday, 10.21 a. m. 7.08 p. m.

For Rupert 6.10, 7.45, 11.13 a. m., 12.15, 3.15, 5.00, 6.30, 11.10, 11.35 p. m. Sunday 7.58, 10.21 a. m., 4.28 7.08 p. m.

Trains for Bloomsburg

Leave New York via of Philadelphia 8.00 a. m., 4.00 p. m. and via Easton 8.45 a. m., 4.30 p. m

Leave Philadelphia 10.00 a. m., 6.00 p. m.

Leave Reading 11.50 a. m. 7.57 p. m.

Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.20 a. m., 9.28 p. m.

Leave Williamsport 9.35 a. m., 4.25 p. m. Sunday, 6.00 a. m., 4.25 p. m.

Leave Catawissa 7.00, 8.00 a. m. 1.30, 3.19, 6.18 11.24 p. m. Sunday, 7.45 a. m., 4.15. p m.

Leave Rupert 6.21, 7.08, 8.27, 11.24 a. m., 1.37, 3.36, 6.19, 11.24 p. m. Sundays, 7.59, 10.12 a. m. 4.06 p. m., 6.54.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via [illegible] R. R., through trains leave Girard Avenue Station, Phila. (P. & R. R. R.) 3.50, 8.01, 11.26 a. m., 3.56, 5.42 7.16 p. m. Sundays 3.50, 8.02 11.26 a. m., 3.56, 5.42, 7.16 p. m.

ATLANTIC CITY DIVISION.

Leave Philadelphia, Chestnut Street Wharf and South Street Warf.

FOR ATLANTIC CITY.

Weekdays—Express, 8 00, 9.00, 10.45 a. m., (Saturdays, 1,30) 2.00, 3.00, 4.30, 5.15 p. m. Excursion 7.00 a. m. Accommodation, 8.00 a. m., 4.30, 4.45 p. m.

Sundays—Express, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.00 a. m., 4.30 p. m. Accomodation, 8.00 a. m., and 4.45 p. m.

Returning leave Atlantic City Depot, corner Atlantic and Arkansas avenues. Weekdays. Express, (Mondays only, 6.45,) 7.00, 7.35, 9.30 a. m., and 3.15, 4.00, 5.30, 7 30, 9.30 p. m. Accommodation, 5.50, 8.10 a. m., and 4.30 p. m. Excursion, from foot of Mississippi Avenue only, 6.00 p. m.

Sundays.—Express, 3.30, 4.00, 5.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 9.30, p. m. Accommodation, 7.30 a. m., and 5.05 p. m.

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STATIONS.	SOUTH. Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. A. M.	NORTH. Lv. A. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 25	12 10	7 15	8 35	2 [illegible]	6 40
Main Street	6 18	12 04	7 07	8 42	2 [illegible]	6 47
Irondale	6 16	12 00	7 04	8 45	2 45	6 50
Paper Mill	6 08	11 52	6 56	8 53	2 53	6 58
Lightstreet	6 05	11 49	6 53	8 56	2 56	7 12
Orangeville	5 57	11 38	6 43	9 05	3 07	7 98
Forks	5 45	11 27	6 33	9 15	3 17	7 20
Zaner's	5 42	11 24	6 30	9 20	3 20	7 24
Stillwater	5 37	11 19	6 25	9 27	3 25	7 29
Benton	5 28	11 09	6 16	9 37	3 33	7 39
Edsons	5 23	11 04	6 11	9 41	3 38	7 44
Coles Creek	5 20	11 02	6 09	9 44	3 42	7 48
Sugarloaf	5 16	11 57	6 03	9 48	3 46	7 52
Laubachs	5 12	10 54	6 00	9 53	3 50	7 57
Central	5 03	10 43	5 53	10 03	4 00	8 07
Jamison City	5 00	10 40	5 50	10 10	4 05	8 10
	Lv.	Lv.	Lv.	Ar	Ar.	

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

DELAWARE LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	NORTH. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Northumberland	6 30	1 50		
Cameron	6 35	....	.....	5
Chulasky	6 40	....	.....	5 53
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	5 58
Catawissa	7 05	2 26	10 39	6 05
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6 23
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6 29
Espy	7 27	2 43	....	6 35
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 42
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 46
Briarcreek	7 41	....	.....	6 50
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6 56
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 09
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 22
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	.....	7 32
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 39
Avondale	8 30	3 51	.....	7 43
Plymouth	8 35	3 56	11 56	7 48
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 52
Kingston	8 45	4 05	12 03	7 57
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 02
Maltby	8 52	4 12	.....	8 07
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 12
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	.....	8 17
Pittston	9 06	4 30	12 22	8 25
Duryea	9 12	4 34	.....	8 29
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	.....	8 32
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 42
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	....	8 47
Scranton	9 35	4 55	12 45	8 52
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Scranton	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 07
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	....	.....
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 43	6 17
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	6 24
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 28
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 34
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 38
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 43
Maltby	6 44	10 28	....	....
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 50
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 55
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 08
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 07
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 12
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 50	7 20
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 30
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 28	3 17	7 41
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 47
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 33	7 53
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 02
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 06
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 12
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 18
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 23
Catawissa	8 49	12 23	4 18	8 28
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 28	8 43
Chulasky	9 03	.....	4 46	....
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 53
Northumberland	9 22	1 00	5 05	9 07
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	PM

Connections at Rupert with Philadelphia & Reading Railroad for Tamanend, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Sunbury, Pottsville, etc. At Northumberland with P. & E. Div. P. R. R. for Harrisburg, Lock Haven, Emporium, Warren, Corry and Erie.

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In effect May ,21 1893. Trains leave Sunbury

EASTWARD.

9:48 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:00 p. m.; New York 5:50 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 4:30 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia Baltimore. Parlor car to Philadelphia.

1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 9:35 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washington 8:15 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5.25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10:55 p. m. New York 3:50 a. m., Baltimore 10:40 p. m., Washington 4:10 a. m., Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:22 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m.; New York 7:33 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—4 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a m., New York 9:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:30 a. m., Pullman Sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

4:36 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 8:55 a. m. and Washington 10:16 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

2:04 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars to Buffalo and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:13 a. m —Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman palace cars to Erie and Kimira and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:34 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

9:25 p. m.—Train 13 daily for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:40 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:15 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:55 a. m.

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Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:35 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:26 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 7:50 p. m. Hazleton 7:56 p. m. Pottsville 9:05 p. m. Through Coach Williamsport to Wilkes-Barre.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 7:25 a. m. Pottsville 6:00 a. m., Hazleton 7:10 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 8:47 a. m., Sunbury 9.35 a. m. Through Coach Wilkes-Barre to Williamsport.

Train 10 leaves Pottsville 1:50 p. m. Hazleton 2:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:15 p. m. Through Coach Wilkes-Barre to Harrisburg.

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Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 p. m.

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REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The following is the full text of the platform adopted by the Republican State Convention last week, at Harrisburg:

The Republicans of Pennsylvania, in convention assembled, reaffirming their adhesion to the declaration of principles adopted by the national Republican convention of 1892, resolve:

That we demand the immediate and unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the act of congress entitled "an act directing the purchase of silver bullion and the issuing of treasury notes thereon," approved July 14, 1890. We congratulate the country upon the recent prompt and patriotic action of the house of representatives, and request the Senators from Pennsylvania to support similar legislation now pending in the senate.

We favor the expansion of the circulating medium of the country until the same shall amount to forty dollars per capita of our population, and approve the proposition to issue to national banks notes to the par value of the bonds deposited to secure their circulation. In this connection we repeat the following declaration of the last Republican national convention: "The American people from tradition and interest, favor bimetallism, and the Republican party demands the use of both gold and silver as standard money, with such restrictions and under such provisions to be determined by legislation as will secure the maintenance of the parity of values of the two metals so that the purchasing and debt-paying power of a dollar, whether of silver, gold or paper, shall at all times be equal. The interests of the producers of the country, its farmers, and its workingmen, demand that every dollar, paper or coin issued by the government shall be as good as any other." Further, we declare that the obligations of the government should be discharged in money approved and current in all civilized nations, and to that end that a largely increased reserve of gold should be gradually accumulated and maintained.

CHARGES AGAINST THE DEMOCRATS.

Swiftly upon the heels of Democratic success in 1892 has followed unprecedented national distress. A ruinous fall in the price of farm and other products and manufactures; the closing of workshops, factories and mills; the reduction of the wages of labor; the discharge of workingmen from employment; the cessation of railroad extension and diminution of traffic; bankruptcy and the suspension of banks, are to-day the only monuments of their triumph. The present condition of the country is entirely due to the conviction that a vital attack will be made upon the system of protection. We reiterate the belief we have often expressed that the maintenance of an adequate and stable system of protective duties is essential to the well-being of the nation and the prosperity of labor and capital, and protest against any amendments to the McKinley bill until it shall have been fairly tested and judged by its practical operation.

The heroic sacrifices and unfaltering patriotism of the Union soldiers and sailors in the great war of the rebellion created a debt of gratitude that the nation can never pay, and the Republican party, ever mindful of their loyal services, and grateful for their heroism, renews its declaration of friendship for the surviving veterans, and its advocacy of liberal pensions, and so far as possible, will not only contribute to their comfort in their declining years, but will hold in sacred memory their priceless and distinguished services on the field of battle. The national Democratic administration, in the appointments of officers in charge of the interior department at Washington, who are

HOSTILE TO THESE SURVIVING VETERANS,

deserve the condemnation of every loyal citizen in the nation, and the Republican party of Pennsylvania emphatically denounces the acts by which the heroes of the republic are being arbitrarily deprived of their pensionsin an ingratitude of the patriotic American people and in reflecting discredit upon the great republic made perpetual by the loyal services of the Union soldiers and sailors.

We demand the enactment and enforcement of immigration laws which shall effectually prohibit the importation of ignorant and undesirable immigrants. Our intelligent workingmen should not be obliged to compete with such labor.

We recommend that the representation to the Republican national convention for 1892 be based upon the Republican vote at the presidential election of 1892, and that the Republican national committee issue its call accordingly.

Representation in future state conventions shall be based upon the vote cast at the presidential or gubernatorial election immediately preceding, one delegate being allotted to each legislative district for every 2,000 Republican votes and an additional delegate for a fraction exceeding 1,000 votes, each district to have at least one delegate.

We commend the action of the last legislature in this state setting apart from the revenues of the commonwealth an additional million dollars to defray the cost of public schools, thus increasing the appropriation for that purpose to $5,000,000 per annum and relieving the burden of local taxation to that extent. This act again forcibly illustrates the integrity of the Republican party in redeeming its pledges for the reduction of taxation.

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THE END OF DR. GRAVES.

He Takes His Life With Poison in Denver Jail.

DENVER, Sep. 5.—Dr. T. Thacher Graves, the convicted prisoner of Mrs. Josephine Barnally, committed suicide in his cell in the county jail last Saturday presumably by taking poison. He was found stiff and cold in death at 9 a. m., by the man who had been caring for him. On his person was found the following letter:

DENVER, Col., Aug. 9.

TO THE CORONER OF DENVER:

DEAR SIR.—Please don't hold an autopsy on my remains. The cause of death may be conferred as follows: Died from persecution. Worn out. Exhausted.

Yours respectfully,
T. THACHER GRAVES, M. D.

The corpse was quite cold when found. No direct evidence of suicide was visible but the above letter tells the story. There were also letters to Mrs. Graves, wife of the doctor, to Julius Crew and an address to the public.

That the prisoner had long contemplated taking his own life is evident from the date of the letter—August 9 last.

As is well known, Dr. Graves was awaiting his second trial for the alleged murder of Mrs. Josephine Barnally, of Providence, who at the time of her death was visiting friends in Denver. She died April 24, 1892. On April 9 she drank from a bottle of whiskey that had come by mail from Boston and that was labelled "Wish You a Happy New Year. Please accept this fine old whiskey from your friends in the woods."

The whiskey contained a solution of arsenic. Dr. Graves was accused of sending the bottle. After one of the most dramatic trials in the criminal annals of this country Dr. Graves was convicted of murder in the first degree and was sentenced to be hanged. The Supreme Court granted him a new trial which was to have begun the latter part of this month. A letter was left addressed to John W. Bridges, the "Trusty" who discovered the doctor dead in his cell.

Captain Crews, the jailer, was the last person to see Dr. Graves alive. According to the statements made to the coroner, he passed the cell at 2 o'clock Sunday morning and then the unfortunate man appeared to be all right.

As is evident from the letter addressed to the coroner, Dr. Graves unfortunately committed suicide, but with what the autopsy alone will tell. It is supposed, however, that he took morphine.

Dr. Graves' letter to the public reviews the case at length and protests his innocence of the crime.

"ALL RIGHT," SAYS CV

Benedict Says the Report that Cleveland Has Bright's Disease is False.

NEW YORK, Sep. 6.—In an interview with a reporter regarding the reported operation on President Cleveland, aboard the steam yacht Oneida, on July 1 last, Banker E. C. Benedict, who was on board the vessel at the time, said yesterday that although he did not see the operation performed, he understood that in pulling one of the President's teeth a piece of the jaw bone came away and the second tooth had to be extracted. Mr. Benedict said that the President stood the ordeal well and even played cribbage with him the same evening. Mr. Benedict added:

"I want to say that the President never was in better health than he is to-day. The talk about his having Bright's disease, cancer and goodness knows what, is all rot."

Royal and Select Masons.

NEW YORK, Sep. 6.—At the 96th annual assembly of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masons of the State of New York held at Masonic Hall yesterday the following were elected grand officers for the ensuing year: Gen. A. Newell, of Medina, Most Illustrious Grand Master. John P. Baldwin, of New York, Deputy Grand Master. A. Oppenheimer, of Buffalo, Illustrious Principal Conductor of the Work. P. Forrester, of New York, Grand Treasurer. Geo. Van Flat, of New York, Grand Recorder.

Pan-American Doctors.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 6.—President Cleveland delivered an appropriate address of welcome before the Pan-American Medical Congress, which opened yesterday. The attendance is large, including some of the most noted physicians and surgeons in the world. An elaborate programme has been arranged, which includes many interesting papers on various subjects connected with the medical science.

Custom Broker Commits Suicide.

NEW YORK, Sep. 6.—Benjamin F. Gambrill, a custom broker, attempted suicide by shooting at his residence in Morrisania this morning. He was taken to the Harlem hospital where his condition is pronounced critical.

Mr. Gambrill died at 11 o'clock in the Harlem Hospital.

Another Bankruptcy at Troy.

TROY, N. Y., Sep. 6.—Wyley & Burton of Schaghticoke have started one of their paper mills and when repairs shall have been completed in the other that will be started also. There are large orders on hand. The Troy collar manufacturers say that the outlook is improving for manufacturing in their line.

$40,000,000 Dividends Paid.

BOSTON, Sep. 6.—The Calumet & Hecla Mining company has declared a $5 dividend, payable September 17, to stockholders of record September 6. This will make $15 paid this year and a total of $40,000,000 paid in dividends to date.

Peary's Expedition.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Sep. 6.—Lieut. Peary's arctic steamer Falcon arrived here yesterday. She left Peary with his party all well at the head of Bowdoin bay, North Greenland, Aug. 20. Peary had at that time 80 dogs, 30 tons of Walrus meat and 11 deer on hand.

Glove Men Want Protection.

GLOVERSVILLE, N. Y., Sep. 6.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Fulton County Manufacturers' Association held here yesterday the question of making an effort to have the present Congress give liberal protection to the glove industry was discussed.

Grand Jury Will Decide.

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., Sep. 6.—Farmer Bennett, who shot two boys for swinging him, was held by the coroner yesterday to await the action of the grand jury.

Champion Bicyclists.

LONDON, Sep. 6.—The English champion bicyclist, Howell, has challenged J. S. Prime, the American champion, to ride a race of 100 to twenty miles for £50 a side.

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Nearly in Despair,

and had about decided to sit up all night in my easy chair, and procure what sleep I could in that way. It then occurred to me that I had a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I took a spoonful of this preparation in a little water, and was able to lie down without coughing. In a few moments I fell asleep, and awoke in the morning greatly refreshed and feeling much better. I took a teaspoonful of the Pectoral every night for a week, then gradually decreased the dose, and in two weeks my cough was cured."

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CHARTER NOTICE.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, PA., NO. ——, TERM, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said court on Monday, October 31st, 1892, at two o'clock P. M., under the act of Assembly of this Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the South Danville Farmers Park, Fish and Game Protective Association, the character and object thereof is the preservation of fish and game in the township of Scott, and for these purposes to possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of Assembly and its supplements. The proposed charter is now in the Prothonotary's office.

LEE & FUNK,
Sept. 7, '92. Solicitors.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County on the 26th day of September, 1892, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, under the act of Assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, by C. H. Keller, D. E. Knorr, J. W. Bright, Grant Johnson, C. W. Bowman, and Boyd Creasser, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called "Saint Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church" of the Borough of Millville, Columbia County, Pa., of the General Synod of the United States. The character and object of which is the support of public worship, and for that purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits, and privileges, conferred by the act of Assembly aforesaid, and its supplements.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Rebecca Breisel, Deceased.

The undersigned, auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County to pass upon the exceptions filed to the Executrix's account, and make distribution of the balance found to be in said Executrix's hands, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the town of Bloomsburg, in said county, on Saturday, September 3, 1892, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all persons interested are required to appear to the matter of said exceptions, and also all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are required to appear and present their claim before such auditor, or be debarred from coming in for a share of such balance, or fund of estate.

Bloomsburg, Pa., CHARLES G. BARKLEY,
Aug. 29th, 1892-3t. Auditor.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia Co., and to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, Bloomsburg, Pa., on

MONDAY, SEPT. 19th, 1892,

at 2 o'clock, p. m. The following described real estate to wit:

All that certain lot or piece of land situated in Fishingcreek township, county of Columbia and State of Penna., bounded and described as follows to wit: On the north by William Whitenight's estate and Elizabeth Sower, on the east by Hiram A. Kline, on the south by Chas. Quick, Joshua Thomas and Nathan Smith, on the west by Elizabeth Sower, containing 15 acres, more or less, whereon is erected a frame barn.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of A. B. Herring use vs. John M. Lanthorn, and to be sold as the property of John M. Lanthorn.

ERVIN, JOHN MOYERT, Sheriff.
Attorney.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Anna C. Conover, late of Madison township, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration of the estate of Anna C. Conover, late of Madison township, Col. Co., Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

JOHN E. CONVERSE, Adm'r.
ADAM E. LITTLE, Attorney. Bloomsburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Martin P. Kessler, late of Greenwood township, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration of the estate of Martin P. Kessler, late of Greenwood twp., Columbia Co., Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

HARRY PHILLIPS,
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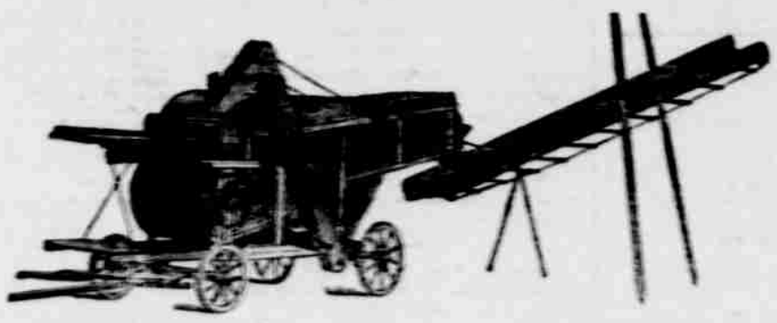

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